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COUNCIL FOR JUDAISM REJECTS ZIONIST CONCEPT

Declaring "our allegiance to the United States is single, indivisible and exclusive," the American Council for Judaism, meeting in St. Louis, Missouri, set itself against involvements with the political destiny of the "Zionist State" to be established by the United Nations' decision to partition Palestine.

The new principles re-stated the position of the council but put more emphasis upon the American nationality of Jews in the United States, and declared that nationality and religion were "separate and distinct."

"Modern Jewish nationalism is a misinterpretation of the spirit of the Jewish faith and a tragic reversal of the historic process of emancipation," the council stated.

"Our homeland is the United States of America and we reject the concept that Jews are homeless unless they live in Palestine". The council dedicated itself to "take such action as shall make clear that Jews living outside of the proposed Zionist state have no part in the nationalism of that state, and to make certain that spokesmen, representatives, agencies and instrumentalities are precluded from representing all American Jews."

The council also proposed to take action to "make it possible for all those who wish to support Jewish philanthropic and religious purposes to do so without being compelled to support Jewish nationalistic endeavors."

The program pledged the council to seek enactment of temporary emergency legislation for the admittance of America's fair share of displaced persons on a non-sectarian basis. A resolution urged Congress to pass the Stratton bill [illegible] in the [illegible] to him.

Four regional vice-presidencies were created. Named to these offices were Henry A. Loeb, of New York; Henry S. Moyer of Youngstown, Ohio; I. Edward Tonkon, of Dallas, Tex.; and George L. Levison, of San Francisco. Milton Binswanger, of Memphis, Tenn., was named a regular vice-president, the only change in the major offices.

The Rev. Elmer Berger of New York, executive director of the council, told the final dinner meeting that "Americans of Jewish faith will add an historic blunder to the already dubious wisdom of the partition decision if they allow the inevitable political differences over partition among Americans to appear to be a choice between Arabs or Jews."

"The United States, which now bear a heavy responsibility for this decision, must now become a 'base of operations' for what will appear to be foreign political forces," he said.

"The American people will not stand for it. Nor should they. But we can make it clear that among Americans of Jewish faith, there are also those who oppose Jewish nationalism in the United States, out of concern for basic American interests."

Lessing J. Rosenwald, council president, made public a message from President Truman, who wrote:

"I am happy to send my greetings to the delegates, both rabbis and laymen, of the American Council for Judaism on the occasion of its annual convention.

"The splendid work of your organization is well known to me. The task you have set for yourselves of working with your co-

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Says British Block Partition

The American Zionist Emergency Council made public through Rabbi Israel Goldstein, its acting chairman, an exchange of correspondence with Lord Inverchapel, British Ambassador to the United States, in which the council complained about Great Britain's behavior in Palestine. The Ambassador promised to transmit the correspondence to London.

[illegible] Britain [illegible] partition of Palestine.

Lord Inverchapel declared that, while the Arabs apparently had attacked first, a greater contribution to the restoration of order would have occured if the Haganah and other Jewish groups had confined themselves to defense. He asserted that incidents such as the Jewish attack on the Semiramis Hotel made more difficult the task of the administration in restraining Arabs.

Rabbi Goldstein countered that, had the British authorities not adopted an attitude of toleration in some cases and encouragement in others toward rioting Arabs, the disorders never would have assumed their present scope.

JEWISH MIGRATION OUT OF EUROPE IS CONSTANT BY SECRET ROUTES

Out of 1,500,000 displaced persons in Austria, Germany and Italy near the end of last year, according to what must necessarily be a rough estimate, only 175,000 Jews were listed on the latest International Refugee Organization compilation. This is not for lack of Jewish migration, which is heavy and continuing, but because the Jewish refugees do not remain long in D. P. camps. They have somewhere to go, and they're going there.

Observers in Vienna link these facts to a new psychology and a new hope. The psychology is exemplified daily in the influx of Rumanian Jewish refugees into Vienna, which has kept up now for seven months and still keeps up despite a recent combination of tightened border controls and cold weather. These refugees have not been subject to persecution; they have suffered relatively minor disabilities and discriminations, and are no worse off than many other groups and individuals under present conditions.

But they have been getting out, for a complex of reasons. One reason is purely economic — hard times. Another is anti-Semitism, which is not dead in Europe. The third and deciding reason is the new hope.

The United Nations decision in favor of a Jewish state in Palestine has raised this hope to a new high mark. Bronislaw Teicholz, head of the International Committee for Jewish Refugees and Former Inmates of Concentration Camps, gave an illustration to prove that this was a dividing line.

"Before the United Nations acted," he said "the younger people in the camps wouldn't go to the vocational training schools for Palestine; they were cynical and demoralized. But now, for every 100 vacancies in a trade school we get 200 applicants."

Mr. Teicholz used to be manager of a British shipping and credit firm in Poland. He went into the

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Immigration Fixed At 1,500 Monthly

Besides announcing Britain's refusal to comply with the United Nations Assembly's recommendation to evacuate the seaport of Tel Aviv, Sir Alexander Cadogan insisted that there would be no loosening of the present immigration restriction until the British mandate was finally terminated.

He specifically stated that ships carrying Jewish immigrants would still be prevented from going to Tel Aviv, and he proposed that Britain's intention of sending to Palestine the Jewish immigrants now detained on the island of Cyprus should be a matter of negotiation between the British Government and the Palestine Commis- [illegible] mandatory power [illegible] immigration prior to the termination of the mandate, and particularly with respect to the present quota of 1,500 Jewish immigrants per month?

A. "It is my Government's intention to maintain its present policy in regard to Jewish immigration to Palestine under which 1,500 Jews are admitted monthly until the termination of the mandatory administration."

(2) What are the plans of the mandatory power with regard to the recommendation in paragraph A-2 of part 1 of the Assembly resolution, which reads as follows: "The mandatory power shall use its best endeavors to ensure that an area situated in the territory of the Jewish state, including a seaport and hinterland adequate to provide facilities for a substantial immigration, shall be evacuated at the earliest possible date and in any event not later than 1 February 1948."?

U.S. Citizens Can't Fight In Palestine

American citizens participating in the present fighting in Palestine are liable to lose their citizenship by doing so and will not be entitled to American protection or intervention on their behalf.

The American Consulate at Jerusalem, at present the only one in Palestine, has been instructed to take up the passports of any American citizens found participating in the fighting. This move is aimed directly at the large number of American students reported to have joined the Jewish forces.

The Administration desires to forestall the possibility of some "incident" which might be made a basis for demands that American troops intervene in the Holy Land. It is determined that no American troops shall be sent into Palestine. Thus far, this applies even to proposals for an international police force to enforce the United Nations partition decision.

One reason is a fear that the Soviet Union would demand the right to send troops to Palestine if American troops were sent there. A proposal to send even a few United States marines to guard the consulate at Jerusalem has been abandoned. A small civilian guard may be sent, under present plans, according to the New York Herald Tribune.

Claims Outside Events Balked Mandate

Viscount Samuel, the first High Commissioner of Palestine and now leader of the Liberal party in the House of Lords, stated that [illegible] Lord Listowel reiterated the British Government's position that while the British forces could not be used to impose a plan, Britain would not obstruct any conditions imposed by the United Nations.

He saw no reason to believe that the withdrawal would not be completed by August 1 and in fact Emanuel Shinwell, War Secretary, earlier had told the House of Commons that the withdrawal of equipment was going according to schedule.

A Conservative, Lord Altrincham, who as Sir Edward Grigg was Minister Resident in the Middle East in the latter part of the war, and who has retained his interest in Palestine, said:

"I believe the mandate could have been carried out." "I believe we have been frustrated, not by conditions in Palestine, not by any trouble which may have arisen between the Jews and Arabs, but by events outside, by the terrible persecution of the Jews in Europe and the cynicism, indifference and self-seeking of other powers which have used Palestine for their own purposes without considering the people there."

Dr. Cyril F. Garbett, Archbishop of York, said that not long ago he was accused of preaching hate against the Jews.

"I detest anti-Semitism," he said. "I have stood on platforms with the Jews protesting against it. If anti-Semitism ever broke out in this country again I should no doubt find myself again on those platforms, but my detestation of anti-Semitism must not prevent me doing everything I can to safeguard the interest of the Christians in Palestine and the preservation of the holy places."

He described as a "disgraceful episode in the history of Zionism" the way in which murders and crimes had been committed and he added that the Jewish Agency for Palestine had been either unable or unwilling to cooperate with the mandatory power in suppressing them.

"We all know that Zionists in Palestine have had great moral support from the United States," Dr. Garbett said. "How many refugees has the United States, with its warm hearted generosity, accepted in the last months?"

The cost of the British mandate in Palestine can be imagined from a figure that Sir Stafford Cripps, chancellor of the Exchequer, gave in the House of Commons. He said that the overall cost of maintaining a military force and supplies from July 1 to November 30 last year was about £100,000,000, according to the New York Times.

WARNS ON FLARE-UP OF U.S. ANTI-SEMITISM UNDER ECONOMIC CHANGE

Warning that latent anti-Semitism in America might flare to dangerous proportions if the economic situation changes, Jacob Blaustein, chairman of the executive committee, American Jewish Committee, said in New York that steps must be taken now to curb future racial discrimination in the United States.

Speaking at a dinner that marked the formal opening of the forty-first meeting of the American Jewish Committee in the Commodore Hotel, Mr. Blaustein reviewed the accomplishments of the committee in 1947. He declared that while in the United States "organized anti-Semitism is at least temporarily on the wane, it continues to be dangerous in Germany and is a growing danger in other parts of Europe.

"Even democratic Sweden has its anti-Semitic agitators, while, far more important from our point of view, anti-Semitism is alarmingly on the increase in England, the traditional seat of human liberty," he said.

"While organized anti-Semitism is decreasing in the United States, latent anti-Semitism, vague as yet, exists in much too large a number of our fellow Americans and eternal vigilance and all the techniques at our command must be employed to keep it from flaring up to dangerous proportions when and if the current economic situation changes."

Mr. Blaustein reported that Premier Themistocles Sophoulis of Greece had given personal assurances to the American Jewish Committee representatives in Athens that the Greek Government soon would implement a law adopted in 1946, which awards heirless property of Jews killed by the Nazis to the Greek Jewish community for use in rehabilitation of surviving Greek Jews.

In his review of the events of the last year in relation to the Holy Land, which resulted in the decision of the United Nations to partition Palestine, Mr. Blaustein said "the American Jewish Committee played a significant role in the reaching of that final decision on Palestine." He described the work of Joseph M. Proskauer, president of the American Jewish Committee [illegible] the Anglo-[illegible] Committee [illegible]

Arms Import Ban Remains

D. R. Rees-Williams, Colonial Secretary, told the British House of Commons that the Palestine government will continue during the life of Great Britain's mandate to take every precaution to prevent importation of arms into the Holy Land.

In reply to a question, Mr. Rees-Williams said: "The authority of the Palestine government is required for the legal importation of arms, ammunition and military equipment, and no such authority has been granted to non-governmental bodies. All the resources of the Palestine government have been and will continue to be used for the remaining period of the mandate to prevent clandestine importation, whether by land or [illegible] the British government is determined" that whatever British arms cannot be removed from Palestine by August 1 (the evacuation date) will be destroyed and not sold to either Jews or Arabs.

"Our policy throughout [illegible] based on one over-mastering," he said, "to save as quickly [illegible]

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Social Notes — Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Fainer, Hartland Avenue, are in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shorr, Laval Avenue, have gone to Jersey City, N. J., for the bar-mitzvah of their nephew, Ronald Karmiller, son of Mrs. Rose Karmiller, and will proceed on an extended trip to South Carolina, where they will visit their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ram, and family and will spend some time in Georgia and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Segal, and daughter, Rochelle, of Passaic, N.J., spent a holiday in the Laurentians, with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rothpan, Stuart Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Gruber, Davaar Avenue, returned home, after a thirteen-day cruise to Miami Beach, Florida; Havana, Cuba; and Nassau, the Bahamas.

Mrs. M. Adelman, of Toronto, Ont., and Mrs. B. [illegible], and [illegible], of Colorado Springs, Colo., are visiting their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sacks, de Vimy Avenue.

Mrs. Max Rosenblum, of Sydney, N. S., is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Levitt, Lajoie Avenue.

Mrs. M. Savage, of Moncton, N. B., returned home, after spending three months with her daughter, Miss Jean Savage, Esplanade Avenue.

Mrs. J. Kirsh, and son, Fred, of Moncton, N. B., spent several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stubins, de Gaspe Street.

Irving Miller, who is attending university in Chicago, is spending three weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Miller, Hutchison Street.

Ben. Nemtin, Van Horne Avenue, returned home from Trenton, Ont., where he spent several days with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Boris Nemtin.

Mrs. I. Perlman and daughter Sylvia, Bloomfield Avenue, were in New York.

Mrs. J. Blanshay, 870 Hartland Avenue, has returned home after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ruddie, in Baltimore, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas M. E. Wise, and son, Julian, formerly of Cambridge, England, arrived to take up residence in Montreal, and are temporarily at 4910 Queen Mary Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reinig, Grey Avenue, spent three weeks in Miami Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Broomfield, of Cranston, R.I., returned home after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. I. Flinker, Jean Brillant Street.

Nathan David, of Sydney, N.S., spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenblatt, Lacombe Avenue.

Miss Sylvia Schneider, Dornal Avenue, visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. Sacorsky, Toronto, Ont.

Mrs. H. Lipton, of Melbourne, Australia, returned home after a three months' visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. Waksman, Kensington Avenue, during which a guest at the Levy-Webster wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Oberman, Trans Island Avenue, left to spend the remainder of the season in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Berlin, Trans Island Avenue, spent several days in New York, visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Schultz.

Mrs. S. H. Shalinsky, Mareil Avenue, returned home, after spending three weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. Edelman, of Providence, R. I.; and her niece, Mrs. F. Carin, of New York.

Mrs. H. Diamond, Wilson Avenue, is in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Karpman, Kent Avenue, have returned from a month's visit to Atlantic City, N.J.; and Philadelphia, Pa., where they visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Karpman.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Ziff, Trans Island Avenue, are leaving on January 30 to spend a month in Los Angeles, California, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Harlig, formerly of Montreal.

Mrs. Harry Wener, Oxford Avenue, was in New York, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Gold, and daughter, Sheila, of Kenora, Ont., are spending a few days with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Goldberg, Snowdon Avenue.

Miss Frances Flinker, fiancee of Bernard Wexler of Providence, R. I., returned to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Flinker, St. Urbain Street. Miss Flinker was entertained at tea, by her mother; her sister, Miss Ann Flinker, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. I. Flinker, Jean Brillant Street.

Mrs. G. Feldman, Girouard Avenue, entertained fifty guests at a tea at the Queen's Hotel, in honor of her daughter, Miss Sylvia Feldman, fiancee of Samuel Blant, of London, Ont. Mrs. Feldman, Miss Feldman, and Mrs. J. Citron, Esplanade Avenue, mother of the groom-elect received the guests. The honorees wore a black crepe afternoon dress, with pink lace inset, beaded trimming, draped hipline, and bustle-back; and a black hat with beaded rose trimming, and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Feldman wore a black crepe dress with a side-drape effect, tulle hat with blue roses, and a corsage of blue roses. Mrs. Citron wore a black and white printed dress; black hat, and a corsage of pink carnations. The table held a centrepiece of pink snapdragons, blue irises, and chrysanthemums; and a bouquet of yellow daffodils, tulips, irises, and pussy-willows. Mrs. Feldman presented her daughter with a cheque.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Green, of Saint John, N. B., are coming to Montreal, to take up residence with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dryer, Summerhill Avenue.

David Robinson, who attends Harvard University, in Cambridge Mass., is visiting his parents, Benjamin Robinson, K. C., and Mrs. Robinson, Forden Crescent.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

The approaching marriage of Bess, only daughter of Mrs. George Pollack, Durocher Avenue, and the late George Pollack, to Saul, son of Mrs. H. Klar, Hutchison Street, and the late Harry Klar, takes place on February 29, at the bride's home, 5251 Durocher Avenue.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gurosky, de Bullion Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Edith, to Louis, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Albert, Colonial Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gillman, Brodeur Avenue, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Harriet, to Elliot, only son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hirshorn, Park Avenue.

Mrs. Zina Shenkman, Lajoie Avenue, announces the engagement of her only daughter, Evelyn, to Abraham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Chad, St. Catherine Street West; the marriage to take place in March.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stresavsky, Mc-Eachran Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Salma, to Peter, only son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Corobow, North Avenue; the wedding to take place on May 9. Mr. Corobow is at present attending McGill University, Faculty of Engineering, and spent three years with R.C.N.V.R.

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Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kaplan, Ridgewood Avenue, are spending a week in New York.

Mrs. S. W. Jacobs, Cote St. Antoine Road, returned home from a month's cruise to Havana, Cuba; Nassau, the Bahamas, and Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. William Abrams, Cote des Neiges Road, are spending a few days in New York.

Mrs. K. Fishman, Park Avenue, entertained at a dinner and theatre party, in honor of Mrs. Samuel Schater, of New York, formerly Miss Peggy Klein, of Montreal. Mrs. Fishman presented Mrs. Schauer with a gift of odd cups and saucers.

Mrs. H. Stober, Clark Street, entertained one hundred and fifty guests at a tea at the Spanish Room, Queen's Hotel, in honor of her daughter, Miss Sylvia Stober, whose marriage to Samuel Freedman, Laval Avenue, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. Freedman, takes place on May 9, at Shaare Zion Synagogue. Mrs. Stober received in a brown crepe dress, studded with brilliants; and Miss Stober wore a brown satin dress with matching hat. The head table was [illegible] Dion Kramer, of Toronto, Ont.; Mesdames H. Denberg, M. Denberg, and S. Zipkin, all of New York; and Mesdames R. Fremeth, D. Fremeth, and F. Abramovitch, of St. Lin.

Mrs. B. Miller, Grand Boulevard, entertained one hundred and fifteen guests at ten, at the Queen's Hotel, in honour of her daughter, Miss Mildred Miller, fiancee of Edward Mendelsohn, Grey Avenue. Receiving the guests, the hostess wore a black suit, with silver thread design, black feather hat, and a corsage of yellow roses; Mrs. Mendelsohn, mother of the groom-elect, a black dress, with sequin trimming, a blue feather hat, and a corsage of red roses; Miss Miller, a black gown, with a lace over-skirt, plain bodice, and a black hat with white feathers sweeping down; and corsage of red roses, and white gardenias. The head table held a centrepiece of white snapdragons and irises, and the smaller tables had flower pots with candlesticks. Mrs. Miller presented the honoree with sterling silver flat-ware, and crystal.

Entertaining for Miss Mildred Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Miller, Grand Boulevard, fiancee of Edward Mendelsohn, son of Mrs. M. Mendelsohn, Grey Avenue, and the late M. Mendelsohn, were: Mrs. O. Singer, Bloomfield Avenue, at a tea presentation of sterling silver flat-ware; Mesdames S. Krupp, St. Catherine Road; and R. Lands, Queen Mary Road; and Miss Molly Singer, Clark Street, at a tea presentation of a cheque; Mrs. Meyer Sager, Grand Boulevard, at a tea presentation of a cheque; Mrs. S. Katz, Lajoie Avenue, at a tea presentation of sterling silver flat-ware; Mesdames [illegible] Mc-Nider Avenue, a tea presentation of a cheque; Mrs. T. Lande, Westmount Boulevard, at luncheon, at Cafe Martin; Miss Eileen Riven, Vendome Avenue, tea presentation of a crystal water pitcher, at the Queen's Hotel; and Mrs. H. Packer, Maplewood Avenue, at a tea presentation, at Morgan's Regency Room.

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Mrs. Leo Galler, Victoria Avenue, Montreal, is co-chairman of the executive of the carnival which the National Council of Jewish Women will hold on March 17, at Victoria Hall, as its main fund-raising project.
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BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Harris (nee Nettie Magder), Outremont Avenue, a son, Lewis Wolfe, brother of Leon David, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 17; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. S. Magder, of Sudbury, Ont.; and of Pelix Harris, Outremont Avenue, and the late Mrs. F. Harris.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Moe Kotansky (nee Lea Rosen), Clark Street, a daughter, Judith Linda, sister of William and Bernard, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 18. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. Shifman, of New York; and Mr. and Mrs. N. Kotansky, Park Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Doubilet (nee Beryl Shapiro), Maplewood Avenue, a son, Paul Alan, brother of David, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 14; grandson of Mrs. D. Shapiro, Clark Street; and of Mrs. M. Doubilet, Park Avenue. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Doubilet, Kent Avenue. Louis Leibovitch, Cote St. Luc Road, held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Goldfield (nee Libby Chorush), St. Urbain Street, a son, Carl Irwin, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 11. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chorush, St. Urbain Street; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldfield, Van Horne Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sirken (nee Annie Wachteil), Clark Street, a daughter, Golda Peggy, on January 4, at the Royal Victoria Hospital; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sirken, Clark Street.

Cards Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Levine, McEachran Avenue, wish to express their thanks to their relatives and friends for their many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of a dearly beloved brother, Meyer Levine.

DEATHS

Mrs. Bessie Abramovitch, aged sixty-eight, died on January 21. She is survived by three sons, Marcus, of Toronto, Ont.; Hyman and Samuel; and four grandchildren, Allan Abramovitch, of Toronto, Nancy and Arnold Abramovitch; Ont.; and Helene Abramovitch. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating. Burial was in Hebrew Sick Benefit Association cemetery. Shiva was at the home of a son, Hyman Abramovitch, 3809 Maplewood Avenue.

Joseph Wiesenfeld died on January 22, at the Jewish General Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Goldie Herschorn Wiesenfeld; one son, Benjamin; one daughter, Mrs. B. Shapiro (Rosalie); and three grandchildren. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi M. Wachtfogel, Rabbi [illegible] Hershprung, and Reverend M. Master officiating. Burial was in Adath Yeshurim cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

Berko (Boris) Seni died in his sixty-ninth year, on January 22, at the Royal Victoria Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fanny Petluk Seni; two sons, Eli and Max; three daughters, Miss Betty Seni, Mrs. Philip M. Rubin (Ruth); Mrs. Harry Woolf (Mary), of New York; and three grandchildren, Bobby, Jerry, and Barbara Rubin. Funeral service took place from Paperman's, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating. Burial was in Hebrew Sick Benefit Association cemetery in Cartierville, Memorial Section. Shiva was at the home, 5159 Esplanade Avenue.

Julius Josefo, aged sixty-six, died suddenly at his home, 5235 Cote St. Luc Road, on January 21. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Annie Kindestin Josefo; two daughters, Mrs. M. K. Rohrlick (Sybil); Mrs. A. [illegible] (Violet); one son, [illegible]; four grandchildren, Joan, E. Rohrlick; Myrna Iris, Rosalin, Beryl, and Douglas Gamsroff; two brothers, Jack, of Philadelphia, Pa.; Leo, of Chicago, Ill.; and three sisters, Mrs. L. Leibovitch, Mrs. S. Myers, and Mrs. [illegible] Berman, all of Montreal. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi Samuel Cass officiating. Burial was in Shaare Zion cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

Mrs. Sima Label, widow of the late Harry Label, died on January 21, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. N. Rosen, 4590 Jeanne Mance Street. She is survived by one son, Samuel; three daughters, Mrs. N. Rosen (Rose); Mrs. H. Katz, of Cornwall, Ont.; Mrs. H. Goldstein (Goldie); one brother, Henrich Myer, of New York; twenty-two grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, and Cantor L. Syrek officiating. Burial was in Hebrew Sick Benefit Association cemetery. Shiva was at the home of a daughter, Mrs. H. Goldstein, 4562 Jeanne Mance Street.

U. S. Army headquarters issued an order providing that all DP's sentenced to jail by military courts shall serve their sentences in German prisons. However, a "limited type of segregation" has been provided for "persecutees". Germans who denounced fellow Germans to the Nazis are now subject to civil damage suits under a recent ruling of the Supreme Court of the American-occupied State of Hesse. The ruling is expected to produce a flood of damage suits by those who were thrown into prison or concentration camps because some acquaintance "squealed" to the Nazis about their anti-Nazis views.

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● TEMPLE EMANU-EL, Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi: Services, Friday, January 30, at 8.15. Sermon: "The Ninth Commandment"; Saturday, at 11.30, sermonette, "The Code Of Sinai". "The Heartbeat Of A People," lecture recital in observance of Jewish Music Month, will be given on Monday, February 2, at 8.30 p.m., by Miss Ruth Kobart, soprano soloist, of New York, accompanied by Miss Esther Hoffman; auspices of The Temple Young Married and Adult Education Department. Committee: Ben. Ball, A. Carsley. For the tombola, annual fund-raising effort, the chairman is George Rauch; others: David Jassby, Garner Bornstein, Samuel Paperman, Nathan Bing, Jack Carrick, Maxwell Roth, Lewis Sherwin, Leonard Blank, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carsley, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Gertsman, Mrs. George Rauch, Mrs. Leonard Blank, Clifford Gittes, Norman Beckow. On Monday, all day, February 9, the Seventh Temple Emanu-El Institute on Judaism will be held at the Community House. Professor Julian Morgenstern, President Emeritus, Hebrew Union College, in Cincinnati, Ohio, will deal with: "The Judaeo-Christian Origins Of Democracy." On February 1, at 2.45, movies for the Religious School are in charge of: J. Carrick, I. Solowey, L. Portner, L. Sherwin. Sisterhood donor luncheon conveners are: Mesdames Arthur Simon, M. E. Singer, R. B. Kramer, G. Hollinger, M. Wegler, H. Stern, B. Yates, G. Gray, J. Carrick, S. Zlon, W. Carin, B. B. Bursko, A. Bieber, H. Wolfe, H. [illegible], Chairmen Ginsu, Norman Buchow, Robert Benson.

● BNAI BRITH WOMEN, Montreal Chapter Number 267: Dinner-dance and cabaret night, on Sunday, February 15, at 7 p.m., in the Ballroom and the Normandie Roof of the Mount Royal Hotel, has Mrs. David Wolff as chairman; Mrs. H. Jack Freedman, president. Partial list of subscribers: Mr. and Mrs. G. Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosenstein, Mr. and Mrs. N. Wolff, Mr. and Mrs. N. Feldman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Caplan, Mr. and Mrs. S. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. M. Auerbach, Mr. and Mrs. I. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. P. Caplan, Mr. and Mrs. William Segal, Mr. and Mrs. H. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. M. Orten, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Y. Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Zlskinder, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dubrofsky, Mr. and Mrs. L. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. William Goldberg, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shaffer, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lifshits, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. D. Segal, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lazer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levine, Mr. and Mrs. A. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. E. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. J. Weinstein, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tietolman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Freid, Mr. and Mrs. I. Reinharz, Mr. and Mrs. H. Singerman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lazar, Mr. and Mrs. I. Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. William Weiss, Mrs. J. Pack, Misses Thelma Weiner, Doris Black. Mount Royal Chapter Number 82, card party and tea, at Chevra Kadisha Synagogue, on Monday, February 2, at 8.30 p.m., is in aid of charities. Call Miss Sylvia Caplan, TA. 5575, for tickets. Mount Scopus Chapter, Number 1562, of Bnai Brith Men, at an open meeting on Thursday, February 5, at the Mount Royal Hotel, presents an Information Please Contest with Chapter Number 257, of Bnai Brith Women. Corny Thomson will be moderator. Prizes. Gil. Shore will sing; Melvin Salmon, president of Mount Scopus Lodge, will preside. Everyone welcome.

● WOMEN'S MIZRACHI: Montreal chapters celebrated Chamisho Oser Beshevat at meetings held by: Dvora Brucha Schwartzben Chapter, at the home of Mrs. B. I. Schoel, 722 Rockland Avenue; Young Women's Chapter, at the home of Mrs. B. Lechter, 621 Carleton Avenue; Solomon Lieff Chapter, at the home of Mrs. J. Deitcher, 287 Querbes Avenue. Tuesday afternoon, February 3, Dvora Hoffman Chapter will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Leibovitch, 4257 Esplanade Avenue; and on Tuesday evening, February 3, Senior Chapter, at Chevra Shass Synagogue, with Mrs. E. Cohen as hostess.

● HADASSAH Chapters meeting Monday, February 2, at 8.30, are: Esther Rachel Naverich, at the home of Mrs. A. Arenovitch, 5471 [illegible] home of Mrs. H. Fogel, 910 Whitedale Avenue; Miriam Brainin Ortenberg, at the home of Mrs. J. Nadler, 763 Querbes Avenue; Queen Esther, bridge and continental, at the home of Mrs. S. Kalman, 627 Bloomfield Avenue; Rachel Levinson, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, with Mrs. H. Berlin as hostess; Ruth, at the home of Mrs. L. Krakower, 632 Dunlop Avenue; Shaindel Cardon, at the home of Mrs. I. Goldstein, 6016 Park Avenue; Shoshana, at the home of Mrs. Z. Wexler, 5340 Durocher Avenue; Theodor Herzl, at the home of Mrs. H. Surchin, 636 Belmont Avenue; a talk on "History Of Zionism From Its Inception To Partition", by Ruth Posnansky, and a book review, "My Father's House", by Ruth Deitcher; Young Ladies' Zionist, at the home of Mrs. L. Goodman, 772 McEachran Avenue. Chapters meeting Monday, at 8.30, are: Deborah at the home of Mrs. C. Shiller, 560 McEachran Avenue; Emes Israel, at the home of Mrs. S. Tansky, 5741 Esplanade Avenue; Ethel Epstein Ein, at the home of Mrs. Peter Braunstein, 4187 Hingston Avenue; Lillian Freiman, at the home of Mrs. L. Brooks, 736b de l'Epee Avenue; Mount Carmel, at the home of Mrs. M. Rosner, 4844 Lacombe Avenue; Syra Miriam Long Spears, at the home of Mrs. Saul Miller, 2425 Maplewood Avenue. Chapters meeting Tuesday, at 8.30, are: Aaron David, continental, at the home of Mrs. S. Weiser, 485 Outremont Avenue; proceeds for Youth Aliyah. Chapters meeting Tuesday, at 8.30, are: Adath Israel, money shower and card party at Adath Israel Synagogue, with Mesdames A. Gasco, H. Geffin, H. Packer, H. Rosenberg as hostesses; Judith, money shower, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue, with Mrs. H. Cohen as hostess; Mary Hinda Bernstein, at the home of Miss Sarah Hymer, 242 Laurier Avenue West. Chapters meeting Wednesday, at 8.30, are: Hatikvah, tea, at 5450 Bourret Avenue, with Mrs. J. Miller and Mrs. N. Migicovsky as hostesses; Nathan Diney, at the home of Mrs. C. Wiesenfeld, 4055 Grey Avenue; Negev, at the home of Mrs. M. Inhaber, 4651 Jeanne Mance Street. The wrist watch which was raffled by the Edith Hart Chapter of Junior Hadassah was won by Toni Bigluzzi, 400 Atlantic Avenue.

● PIONEER WOMEN'S Organization: Yehudith Simchonith, the Palestinian delegate, will be in Montreal from February 3-6. On Tuesday afternoon, February 3, there will be a Council dessert meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Smith, 80 Hudson Avenue, Mrs. H. Surchin presiding. In the evening, Mrs. M. Kravitz, Kent Avenue, will preside at a reception at Beth David Synagogue: distribution of charters to all groups, by Mrs. M. Surchin; installation of new members by Mrs. M. Taitlebaum. On Wednesday afternoon, at a seminar at 5392 Jeanne Mance Street, Mrs. M. Oberman will preside. On Wednesday evening, at a reception at Beth David Synagogue, sponsored by Migdol Group, Mrs. H. M. Caiserman will introduce the guests; and Mrs. A. Lerman will preside. At [illegible] Jeanne Mance Street, Mrs. [illegible] evening, the English-speaking groups will meet, with Mrs. I. Borenstein, of Hanita Group, presiding. Oneg Shabbat, on Friday evening, at the Folk Shule, 5210 Waverley Street, will have Mrs. P. Lipshitz presiding. Mrs. D. Galber, of Goldye Myerson Group, will speak for the Organization; Chaim Brenman, on behalf of the Actions Committee.

● NORTH END VILKOMIRER Ladies' Auxiliary: At the twentieth annual banquet, Mrs. M. Kirsch, president for the fifth term, who was re-elected by acclamation, was installed by Mrs. E. Goldstein, past-president, and was presented with a corsage by Mrs. D. Tesher, from the members. Mrs. Kirsch introduced Mrs. A. Grill as master of ceremonies. E. Goldstein and S. Schoilovitch were guests, and spoke. Others installed were: Mesdames N. Ghilaig, J. Flax, I. Signer, D. Tesher, J. Kirshenberg, A. Grill, M. Morris, L. Shufman, H. Lann, P. Block, H. Lesser, P. Shagass, M. Turner, P. Bubis, L. Shagass, N. Yerachevsky, D. Buckner, G. Schaffer, D. Lazarovitch, S. Levine. Presentations were made. Mesdames H. Lann, M. Welt, and B. Cohen sang. Music was played for dancing.

● NATIONAL COUNCIL of Jewish Women: Booth-holders and committee members for Council Carnival, to be held at Victoria Hall, on Wednesday, March 17, were entertained at tea by Mrs. Rose Medine, the convener. Those present were: Mesdames J. Frankel, C. Asch, J. Chaikin, B. Robinson, B. Rubinovich, W. Addleman, J. Wiener, C. Usher, F. Packer, H. Sloan, S. Cohen, M. Finestone, M. Heller, S. Schacter, Max Cohen, A. Zive, S. Blumenthal, M. E. Coshof, V. Teherny, L. Galler, S. Lithwick, M. Vineberg, F. Bram, A. Teneer, H. Franklin, J. H. Fine, J. Goldsmith, M. Getz, H. Segall, H. Frank. A tea for Tombola captains, at the home of Mrs. Leo Galler, co-chairman of the Carnival, had present: Mesdames H. Baron, W. Addleman, N. Proctor, V. Teherny, S. J. Cohen, S. Dworkin, I. Feldman, H. Segall, E. A. Friedman, H. Grover, S. Ghent, J. Heller, B. Cohen, A. Fleming, M. Meier, J. Monaker, J. Richer, L. Schachter, M. A. Simon, B. Sterns, A. Stilman, C. A. Slavouski, J. Shapiro, S. Tomarkin, J. Victor, I. L. Weiner. Chairman for Special Names, Mrs. Maxwell Cummings, is assisted by Mrs. J. Elkin and Mrs. B. Rubin. Montreal Section paid-up membership luncheon meeting, at the Mount Royal Hotel, on Wednesday, February 18, at 12.30 p.m., has Mrs. Rose Medine as convener. Membership cards are to be presented at the door. Sally Victor, of New York, the artist [illegible] Hat in the Ring.

● Y.M.H.A. thirty-second annual ball will be held on Sunday, February 8, in the Normandie Roof and Ballroom of the Mount Royal Hotel, under the patronage of: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barkoff, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Baron, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blumenstein, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bronfman, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bronfman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brownstein, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Caplan, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Chorney, Mrs. Jacob Elkin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Faerman, Mr. and Mrs. Max Finestone, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Golden, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Guttman, H. E. Herschorn, O.B.E., and Mrs. Herschorn, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jasaby, Miss Bessie Kellert, Mrs. Jacob Kellert, Sol. Kellert, Zave Levinson, M.B.E.; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Levy, S. L. Mendelsohn, K.C., and Mrs. Mendelsohn; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Michaels, Capt. W. Sebag Montefiore, M.C.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rothman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Sommer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tarshis, Mrs. Barnett Weinstein, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Zackon.

● BRIGADIER FREDERICK KISCH Branch No. 97, Canadian Legion: An installing team supplied by Remembrance Branch Number 75, consisting of Al. Heron, Bashford Browne, John Wright, installed the president, Harry L. Aronovitch; and M. Neporent, I. Silverman, Ed. Feigelman, Joseph Leznoff; trustees, Miss Edith Shatenstein, I. Recht, S. Neamtan, I. Abrams; Executive Committee: A. C. Solomon, M. Weitzner, H. Barkin, R. Bedder, Dr. R. Silverstone, M. Poliskin, M. Goldberg, M. Honigman, N. Shears. Ted Rounds, provincial chairman, and Hugh M. Parry, immediate past president of the Command, initiated J. Lewis and J. Rostoker to membership. Dr. Solomon Frank, Rabbi, honorary padre of the Manitoba Command of the Legion, and one of the Board of Chaplains of this branch, praised the branch for goodwill work between Jew and Gentile. Guests at the head table were introduced by Alex C. Solomon. The retiring president, Morrie Goldberg, gave his report on rehabilitation, welfare, and community work.

● At the closing dinner for the War Memorial Campaign of the [illegible] years, with two thousand graduates taking part in soliciting funds, a scroll containing an expression of appreciation for meritorious services was given to outstanding graduates. Among them were: Lazarus Phillips, K. C., O. B. E.; Dr. David Ballon, professor, of McGill University; Jack R. Boganter, president of the Jewish Hospital of Hope; Dr. Max Goldenberg, president of the Montreal Dental Society.

● COMBINED JEWISH APPEAL: Annual luncheon meeting of the Women's Division takes place at 12:30 p.m., on Wednesday, February 11, in the Normandie Roof of the Mount Royal Hotel. Mrs. J. A. Klein, president, will preside. Lavy Becker, chairman of the Public Relations Committee of the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies; former executive director of the Y. M. H. A.; and director of the J. D. C. program within Germany, will be guest speaker. Election. Reservations with Mrs. H. Cohen, EL. 9179; Mrs. Lionel Rose, De. 6728; not later than February 8.

● CANADIAN LEGION, Brigadier Frederick Kisch Branch 97, Ladies Auxiliary, Installation dinner had as guests Mrs. L. Devoat and Mrs. W. G. Stevens of the Quebec Provincial Command, who officiated. Mrs. A. C. Solomon was installed as president, assisted by: Mesdames E. Hartman, L. W. Feigenbaum, S. Horowitz, D. Deuitch, Miss Lillian M. Jakin. Rabbi Samuel Cass, formerly a Canadian Army Chaplain, overseas, was guest speaker.

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Miss Ruth Kobart, soprano, who played the witch in Lemonade Opera's "Hansel And Gretel", will give her lecture-recital, "Heartbeat Of A People", at Temple Emanu-El, in Montreal, under the auspices of the Adult Education department and the Temple Young Married, in observance of Jewish Music Month, on Monday, February 2, at 8.30 p.m. Her accompanist is Miss Esther Hoffman.

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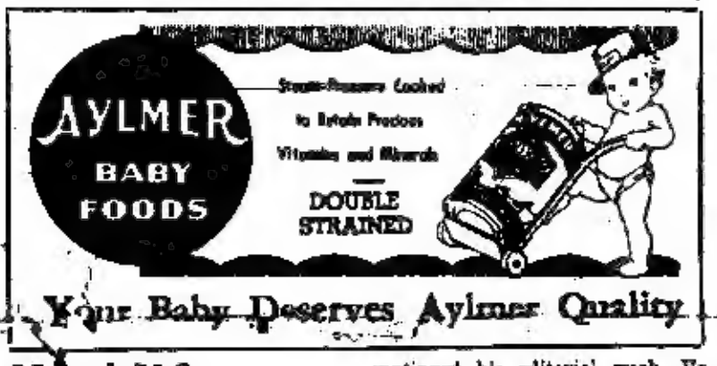

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Noted U.S. Specialist Was German-Born

Dr. Max Pinner, an authority on pulmonary diseases and since 1939 editor of The American Review of Tuberculosis, died at his home in Berkeley, Cal. His age was 58.

Forced into semi-retirement two years ago by ill health, Dr. Pinner went there from New York and had continued his editorial work. He had been chief of the division of pulmonary diseases at the Montefiore Hospital in New York and the Montefiore Sanatorium at Bedford Hills, N.Y.

The National Tuberculosis Association awarded the Trudeau Medal to Dr. Pinner in 1946. He was the author of more than 100 papers on pulmonary diseases, and during his final illness had under revision "Pulmonary Tuberculosis in the Adult", a book he had published three years ago.

He was a fellow of the American College of Physicians and a member of the National Tuberculosis Association.

His widow, Mrs. Berna Pinner, survives.

Born in Berlin, son of Emil and Ida Rothe Pinner, Dr. Pinner attended the University of Berlin, served in the German Army Medical Corps during the first World War and received an M. D. degree from the University of Tuebingen in 1919.

The next year he was an assistant at a Hamburg hospital. He came to America in 1921 and for three years did sanatorium work in San Francisco. Later he worked in a laboratory of the Municipal Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Chicago.

In 1926-30 he was an instructor in the department of pathology at the University of Illinois College of Medicine, and in 1930-35 he was associate director of the Desert Sanatorium and Institute for Research at Tucson, Ariz. He became pathologist in 1935 for New York State District Hospitals in Oneonta, Ithaca and Mount Morris.

Dr. Pinner was chief of the division of pulmonary diseases at Montefiore Hospital, the Bronx, from 1938 to 1945. He was also at one time Clinical Professor of Medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University.

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Former Justice Joseph M. Proskauer of New York, national president of the American Jewish Committee, said at Philadelphia, Pa., that the present low status of organized anti-Semitism affords "a precious opportunity" for a tactical shift by the foes of bigotry.

"We are not interested simply in putting out the fires," he declared. "We are far more interested in fire prevention — in securing our position against future aggravating circumstances that may be in store for us."

The jurist made these assertions in the keynote address at the opening of the second annual national conference of the Joint Defense Appeal, assembling more than 500 Jewish communal and welfare leaders.

The Joint Defense Appeal is the financial arm of the American Jewish Committee and the Anti-Defamation League of Bnai Brith.

Fears For Safety Of Jews In Arab States

Dr. J. Howard Ralbag, chairman of the Justice for Palestine Committee, Inc., proposed that the United Nations Security Council take emergency measures to safeguard the lives and property of 800,000 Jewish residents of the Arab states.

In a letter to Trygve Lie, Secretary General of the United Nations, he suggested also that the Council begin drawing up plans for the evacuation of these Jews to Palestine and that Britain direct her representatives in the Arab countries to "see to it that the Jewish community is protected."

Dr. Ralbag declared that there were 27,000 Jews in Alexandria, 23,000 in Algiers, 42,000 in Baghdad, 38,000 in Cairo, 10,000 in Damascus, 20,000 in Oran, 15,000 in Tripoli, and 27,000 in Tunis. "In all these cities," he wrote to Mr. Lie, "the non-Jewish majority of the population is overwhelmingly Moslem. The chance of survival for the Jews in the aforementioned cities, after an Arab holy war, is nil."

After listing examples of the fighting that followed the General Assembly's decision to approve a partition of Palestine, Dr. Ralbag asserted that "civil war is about to break out there. He charged that the Arab states "provide ammunition, promise money and incite impassioned mobs to plunder and kill."

Former Nazi Site To Be Palestine Colony

A tract of 200 dunams of land in the recently purchased German colony of Sarona, near Tel Aviv, will be called the ZOA Golden Jubilee Colony, it was announced by Dr. Emanuel Neumann, president of the Zionist Organization of America. The entire colony was purchased recently by the Jewish National Fund and the city of Tel Aviv from the Palestine Government at a cost of five million dollars.

Sarona, which was formerly a German community, and inhabited by Nazi officials, was expropriated by the Palestine Government and is situated on the picturesque coastal plains east of Tel Aviv. The tract of land was set aside as the first unit of a scheduled 50,000 dunams to be redeemed in Palestine in commemoration of the recent 50th anniversary of the founding of the Zionist Organization of America.

The physical construction of the new settlement will be supervised by the World Confederation of General Zionists, of which Dr. Israel Goldstein is chairman. When completed, the settlement will provide housing for 2,000 people, including incoming refugees and tourists as well as those who are without suitable housing accommodations in Palestine.

A feature of the new ZOA Golden Jubilee Colony will be the construction of modern hotel apartments for English-speaking tourists, Itzhak J. Karpman, Executive Director of the World Confederation of General Zionists, announced. The plans also call for educational and recreational facilities to be modelled along American lines. Various streets will be named after distinguished Americans and prominent Zionists. Various branches of the Zionist Organization of America will participate in the upbuilding of the colony through regional and district projects.

The entire former German colony of Sarona comprises 16,000 dunams of land, of which 200 has been assigned to the project. Plans for the redemption of the balance of the 4,000 acre tract will be announced in the near future.

To Exchange Music With Palestine

Jedediah Gorochov, president of the Palestine Composers and Authors Association, arrived in the United States to set up an interchange of musical information between American and Palestine, it was announced by Edward A. Norman, president of the American Fund for Palestine Institutions, which represents the Palestine Composers and Authors Association in the U.S.

Mr. Gorochov, a native-born Palestinian, who has composed symphonic music as well as many songs popular in his country, plans to organize a center for the distribution of Palestinian music to concert artists and orchestras in the United States and for the selection of American music for Palestine.

President Zoltan Tildy, receiving a Jewish delegation which came to congratulate him on his 66th birthday, expressed his appreciation of the role that the country's Jews have played in Hungary.

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NOTICE is hereby given that DAME LEILA MAY WILLETT, housewife, of the City and District of Montreal, Province of Quebec, will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at the present session or the next following ensuing session thereof, for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, JOHN WATSON GARLAND ASCAN, mariner, of the same place, on the grounds of adultery.

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DATED AT MONTREAL, Province of Quebec, this 30th day of December, 1947.

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MONTREAL, QUEBEC, 29th October, 1947.

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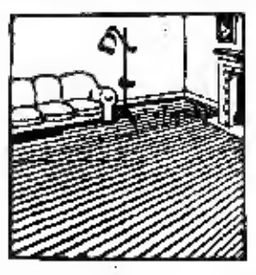
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MIDNIGHT SHADOWS

By W. Sohul

My shadow and I stood out clearly in moonlight. My shadow, I, and yes, Top, of course.

Not that Top was such an important personage. He tried his best not to be, slinking elusively at my heels, cocking his tired old ears, looking at me with his sad wise eyes, and giving a wag or two with his ragged bushy tail, whenever I happened to look down at him. One couldn't really call Top a beauty, and personally, I wouldn't even have called him a dog, had I not known his mother. Top had become a kind of institution in the village, and was a special favourite with the younger generation. How he became so specially attached to me is a mystery. I certainly gave him no cause for it, but as it is, both of us are quite happy in our present relations, and are therefore content to let them pass unquestioned.

There is another odd thing about Top, for not only has he a 'weak spot' for me in that old heart of his, but it appears that he seems to love uniforms in general. Nobody actually remembers when and how he made his first appearance in the Police Post. He just was there, and as for us, we were from the Sergeant downwards at his service.

He did most of his sleeping during the day, curled up underneath the table of the Station Orderly in the guard-room, moving punctually at sight to the top of the stairs, where he blocked all entrance and exit, patiently waiting for the arrival of the Village Guard, and completely ignoring the men of the patrols. No coaxing could buy him. His duty was to guard the guard that guarded the Colony, and he performed that duty just as seriously as the guard performed his.

And here I sit, with faithful Top at my side, carefully watching the big and small hands of my watch, the Roman 'twelve' of which is really as it is the dirtiest but I know that it's there, just as I can't see the nose of my face but am aware of its presence. After all, I have been wearing that watch ever since my confirmation, and that was quite a number of years ago.

I try to quiz myself — can I guess what the approximate time is. But I know well enough that it is just short of midnight, though I cannot help hoping for a miracle, that my watch will be able to convince me that it is nearer one than twelve. Of course, no miracle has occurred, and it is just five minutes to midnight. . . And yet it may be at least twenty minutes later, for my watch seems to have gone slow since the day it was first made.

Midnight—it doesn't seem to be be of any great importance to all those people snoring in their warm beds and comfortable little red-roofed houses. . . Midnight—and but for a solitary light here and there, the world appears to be dead, quite unaware that the date has just changed. There is something in it which always seems to have appealed to my imagination. Sometimes, as a child, I used to think there must be an angel in heaven appointed to take care of an enormous calendar, tearing down another huge leaf when midnight chimes. There is something fascinating about this odd hour which needs more than a typewriter and paper to explain. Even old Top, hunting for fleas, seems to look and feel different, wearing an almost startlingly human expression, as he sits up to sniff at the heavy wafts of orange-blossom scent, drifting up from the orchards in the valley and along the sea-shore.

Not a sigh of wind stirs the heavy leaves, only the sound of a mule, kicking against the corrugated iron wall of its stall, and the solitary whining laugh of a hyena, break the oppressive warm silence of the night, engulfing my body and mind with silvary threads.

Top rubs his head against my rifle butt, yawning in imitation of myself, and after having duly stretched and scratched himself, settles down again with a sigh and snort, flicking his ears now and then to shake off some persistent flea, and giving an odd growl or two just to show that he isn't really asleep yet.

A reddish light flickers in the distance, and fades out again. The silvery ribbon of a wadi glitters, as it winds its way from the mirror of Lake Kinneroth, reflecting the golden beams of the moon from its unbroken surface. Sleep clutches heavily at my eyelids.

Somewhere, a cow lows anxiously, followed by the crowing of a startled cock, who seems to be annoyed by this tactless behaviour. A second cock appears to agree with him, waking up another dozen, who wake up some dogs in their turn, before they eventually settle down again, realizing that it is not dawn yet by a long chalk, and besides, why provoke the jackals and foxes unnecessarily.

My head settles back against the hard wooden post on my left, firmly shoving the brim of my slouch hat over my right eye. Time passes.

I find my ear pressed against the wood. Top gives a sniff or two at my boot, then shoots another sad look in my direction, before putting his cold nose back between his two paws. A ticket flutters out of my pocket, and unconsciously, I find myself bending down to pick it up. Carmen. Memories of my last leave in Tel-Aviv come floating back. The strains of the overture pass through my mind, then I hear it louder and louder, just more than a whisper. Was I raving mad or just dreaming?

A ballet girl, no bigger than my thumb, flutters gently on to my knee and starts dancing, and in a moment she is joined by others, and bits of scenery which arrange themselves all of their own accord. Soon, I have the entire and complete third act plus conductor and orchestra firmly planted on my knee. It was beyond me. I was much too tired to puzzle it out. I leant back, satisfaction and peace sweeping over me and over Top too—an immense feeling of quiet, security and restfulness hard to describe, but it was there, and so was Top, and so was I.

Dawn came, and the ticket fluttered from my hand. I shook myself and Top promptly followed suit. Dawn had not really come yet, but the feeling of it was near. The bench was damp, and my rifle glistened. Heavy drops of dew fell from the trees. I began to feel how tired I was, the rifle slumped heavily on my back, the leather strap bit deep into my shoulder, numbing my entire right arm, while the fifty cartridges in the bandolier across my stomach only seemed to underline its emptiness. Centuries seemed to pass till, eventually the first signs of dawn began to creep up in the east. There was a sickly feeling in the pit of my stomach. I felt dirty and unshaved, and there was a bad taste in my mouth, the natural consequence of a full packet of cigarettes, now empty.

Top got up, wagged his tail in a last farewell in lieu of a parting handshake, then catching a biscuit in mid-air he trotted off to enjoy his well-earned rest. I got up and stretched my limbs. My shadow had gone.

This article is from Palestine Information.

Palestine: Never A Life In Jeopardy At the moment

is decidedly more nerve-racking than it was on the average wartime front, at least for a newspaper [illegible] Dame Adelaide

During the war, there always was the possibility of getting into some quiet spot behind the front. Even in Greece, where guerrilla warfare is raging, life remains relatively safe and pleasant in the larger towns.

But in Palestine, and especially in Jerusalem, the war is inescapable. After falling asleep to the intermittent crack and crackle of snipers' and sentries' rifles and Sten guns that residents consider normal, I was awakened by a blast of a hand grenade, followed by the reverberating crash of a bomb. They were the ones with which Haganah demolished the Semiramis Hotel a mile away. A clashing thunderstorm added an extra touch of melodrama to the night.

One of the camera men recording the excavation of bodies from the Semiramis Hotel was pinioned to a wall by pistol-packing Arabs who thought he was Jewish. They let him go only after escorting him to the Arab Higher Committee headquarters for identification.

The safest land route to this Holy City, which I used two days ago, is said to be by Arab taxi from the Lebanese frontier over a road mainly through Arab territory. The twenty-odd Arab road blocks en route usually are not manned in daylight. But after dusk, the Arabs are inclined to suspect anyone who doesn't look like an Arab of being a Jew. Thus, one of the rare blonde Arabs known to correspondents was shot dead at such a road block on suspicion of being a Jewish spy.

The United States' sponsorship of partition has made them heartily unpopular among the Arabs. A passport, however, is no protection against snipers. One American recently had two cars shot up before completing a drive from Lydda to Jerusalem, and a Swedish journalist was wounded in the wrist.

Jewish-operated buses that use the road from Jerusalem through Lydda to the coast are armor-plated and are sniped at as a matter of routine.

One of my first tasks was to deliver a gift of three cans of jam to a convent on the edge of the old city. Considering that the cans looked like bombs, my driver thought it advisable to pick up a British policeman as an escort. In spite of the escort, the driver almost turned back at the last moment because the streets appeared unnaturally deserted. Later we discovered that a hand grenade had been tossed into a shop near the convent just before our arrival.

When hiring taxis, one must take care to take an Arab taxi for Arab quarters and a Jewish one for Jewish quarters, for the two do not mix.

Walking is even less amusing, especially at night. On many roads, it may be taken for granted that the pedestrian is being carefully watched by hidden Arab and Jewish snipers who, with levelled rifles, are waiting for the slightest indication of hostile intentions.

British Government officials now privately acknowledge that the "situation is out of hand" as regards the maintenance of security.

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by Don Graham

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Mrs. Wise Left Bequests

Mrs. Louise Waterman Wise, of New York, wife of Dr. Stephen S. Wise, Rabbi, made bequests totalling $27,500 and left the residue of her estate to her husband, according to her will filed for probate in Surrogate Court. Mrs. Wise died Dec. 10. Her will was dated Jan. 5, 1946.

Legacies of $10,000 each and equal interests in her real property go to her son, James Waterman Wise, and her daughter, Mrs. Justine Wise Polier. Legacies of $1,000 each go to the women's division of the American Jewish Congress, Inc., and the New York Guild for the Jewish Blind. She also left $1,000 each to her four grandchildren, Stephen Wise, Halle Wise, Jonathan Wise Polier and Stephen Wise Tulin.

Mrs. Wise left $500 each to the Jewish Institute for the Blind, Jerusalem, and to Kate Slevin, Sierra Madre, Calif., and Sarah Kohn, 108 Fort Washington Avenue. The last two bequests were "in appreciation for their many years of faithful service to the Child Adoption Committee of the Free Synagogue."

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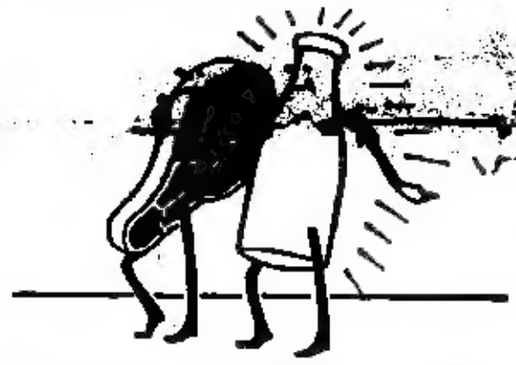

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The marriage of Betty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schlossman, 456 Grace Street, to Albert Gurofsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Gurofsky, 898 Bloor Street West, took place on Sunday, December 28, at half-past one o'clock, Rabbi David Monson officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore a gown of ivory-coloured slipper-satin, fashioned with stiffened dropped shoulders and scalloped neckline, with long sleeves, fitted bodice, and hoop skirt, trimmed with a cascade of Calla lilies. Her full-length veil of tulle illusion was caught to a tiara of seed pearl beads and other beads, and she carried a prayer book, decorated with orchids and baby chrysanthemums. Mrs. R. Leroy, sister of the bride, attended her as matron of honour, wearing an off-the-shoulder gown of ice-blue slipper satin, with headdress of matching ostrich tips, and carried a cascade of Talisman roses and yellow baby chrysanthemums. Miss Honey Offstein, of St. Catharines, cousin of the bride, was junior bridesmaid, wearing a yellow taffeta gown, trimmed with royal-blue velvet ribbons, with low ruffled neckline and full skirt, and a coronet of yellow roses and royal-blue velvet ribbons, and carried a cascade of Talisman roses and yellow baby chrysanthemums. Ben. Gurofsky, brother of the groom, was best man, and Max Leroy Bernard Gurofsky, Jack Freedman, Morris Yalowsky, Bernard Yalofsky, and Philip Zaidman were ushers. During the ceremony, "O, Promise Me" was sung. The bride's mother, Mrs. Schlossman, in a fuchsia-coloured crepe dinner gown, trimmed with silver sequins and embroidery, with a corsage of American Beauty roses and white baby chrysanthemums, received with Mrs. Gurofsky, mother of the groom, who wore a grey crepe dinner gown, with a corsage of white baby chrysanthemums and Talisman roses. For the wedding trip to New York, the bride wore a navy-blue tricotine suit, with matching satin hat, trimmed with ostrich tips, red python accessories, and a corsage of orchids. They will reside at 456 Grace Street. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Schlossman, of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Melnick, Dr. and Mrs. S. Schlossman, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Galant, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. E. Offstein, of St. Catharines; Mr. and Mrs. B. Burlack, of Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. P. Strauss, of Buffalo, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. B. Dinnerman, of Falls River, Mass.; and Mrs. S. Gurland, of Ottawa, were among the wedding guests.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherman (nee Nora Cooperberg), 180 [illegible] Avenue, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 11, a son, Arnold, brother of Paul and Selma. Grandparents are Mrs. M. Cooperberg, 157 Beverley Street, and the late A. Cooperberg; and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sherman, 178 Manning Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cohen (nee Sybil Ginsberg), 453 Broadview Avenue, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 8, a son, brother of Ella. Grandparents are Mrs. F. Ginsberg, 453 Broadview Avenue; and David Cohen, 35 Major Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Liebman (nee Molly Wagner), 48 Glenarden Road, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 8, a daughter, Sandra.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Swadron (nee Minnie Machtinger), 165 Hopedale Avenue, on January 13, at Toronto General Hospital, a daughter, Joanne Carol. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. Machtinger, 33 Ontario Place; and Mr. and Mrs. I. Swadron, 160 Queen Street East.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Magder (nee Bertha Silverberg), 32 Avenue Road, at Toronto Western Hospital, on January 12, a daughter, sister of David.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greisman (nee Irene Horowitz), 996 Avenue Road, at Toronto General Hospital, on November 16, a son, William Sholom, brother of John. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Horowitz, 78 Burnaby Boulevard.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Naiman (nee Sue Speigel), 804 Dundas Street West, on January 14, at Mount Sinai Hospital, a daughter, Carol Freva. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. Speigel, 57 Kendal Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. R. Naiman, 33 Henry Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Bregman (nee Lillian Levy), 353 Grace Street, at Mount Hamilton Hospital, in Hamilton, on January 3, a son, Howard Michael. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David Levy, of Hamilton; and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bregman, 353 Grace Street.

The restoration of communal property to Jewish organizations was requested in a petition to the government by the Central Committee of Polish Jews. The Committee asks issuance of a law placing in Jewish custody property left by Jewish communities which were wiped out during the Nazi occupation.

Social Notes — Toronto

(Additional Toronto News on Page Twelve)

Mrs. N. Ladowsky and her daughter, Mrs. David Banack, 38 Ava Road, gave a tea to honour Miss Esther Ruth Dick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dick, 49 Whitmore Avenue, whose marriage to the former's son, Jack Ladowsky, takes place on March 18. About three hundred guests were received, the hostess wearing a bronze-coloured metallic dress, with a corsage of yellow roses; and Mrs. Banack, in black lace over pink, with a corsage of red and pink roses. Mrs. Dick, mother of the bride-elect, wore a black crepe dress, with a corsage of red roses and white carnations; and the honoree wore a black lace ballerina dress, over pink taffeta, with an orchid corsage. Those who poured were: Mesdames A. Seigal, H. List, K. Geller, J. Sloven, C. Lovenstein, S. Sugar, and J. Peikes. Assisting were: Mesdames J. Banack, L. Davidson, F. Dick, L. Cracker, M. Garfinkle, and Misses Ellen Weinberg, Betty Smith, Judith Bernstein, Betty Zippin, Estelle Sugar, and Helen Pomotev. The tea table was decorated with a centrepiece of pink and white carnations and blue irises, and white tapers in silver holders.

Entertaining for Mrs. Albert Gurofsky, 456 Grace Street, formerly Miss Betty Schlossman were: Mrs. H. Schlossman, mother of the bride, at a tea, with one hundred and twenty-five guests present; Mrs. R. Gurofsky, mother of the groom, at dinner; Mrs. L. Yalowsky, presentation dinner, with forty guests present; Mesdames S. Weisman, S. Latowsky, M. Geller, and I. Kanoff, presentation dinner; Miss Rose Ginsberg, tea at Simpson's Arcadian Court; Mrs. L. Slaser, dinner, with twenty guests; Mesdames F. Kates, L. Freeman, and K. Kates, evening presentation, with twenty-five guests present; Mrs. C. Feldman, presentation dinner with forty guests; Mrs. L. Goldstein and Mrs. A. Erlick, presentation luncheon at the Barclay Hotel; Mrs. M. Zaidman, presentation dinner with forty guests; Miss Ruth Steinberg, dinner at the Barclay Hotel, and theatre; Mr. and Mrs. H. Yalof, dinner and theatre; Mesdames H. Simon, M. Simon, and W. Simon, tea, at Arcadian Court; Mrs. M. Adelberg, presentation luncheon; Misses Alice Allentoff, Frances Fluxgold, and Zivian Gushansky, presentation luncheon; Mr. and Mrs. S. Crystal, dinner and theatre; Mr. and Mrs. J. Freedman, dancing; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Yalowsky, dinner and theatre.

Entertaining for Mrs. Harry Solomon, 152 Chiltern Hill Road, formerly Miss Florence Drevnig, were: Mrs. Jack Drevnig, Chiltern Hill Road, mother of the bride, at a family engagement party, with sixty guests present; Mrs. Jack Drevnig, dinner, with thirty guests present; Mrs. Sidney Drevnig and Mrs. William Drevnig, luncheon at the Yellow Room, King Edward Hotel, with fifty guests; Miss Sidney Funt, dinner and theatre; Mrs. J. Kainan and Mrs. H. Stone, luncheon; Mesdames M. Caplan, F. Gordon, and C. Turk, presentation tea at Arcadian Court; Misses Rose Wayne and Rose Urkowitch, luncheon; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Silverstein, Cherrywood Avenue, presentation dinner at King Edward Hotel, and theatre; Mrs. E. Hermant and Mrs. J. Snider, presentation tea at the former's house, 56 Rosebury Road; Mrs. Samuel Weisberg, Elm Ridge Drive, presentation luncheon at Arcadia Court; Mrs. M. Menkes, Forest Hill Road, tea; Mrs. A. Solomon, 651 College Street, mother of the groom, luncheon at the Murray House, with one hundred guests present; Misses Ruth and Helen Winbaum, Chiltern Hill Road, evening with fifteen guests present; Mrs. N. Schnier, Chiltern Hill Road, presentation tea at the Georgian Room; Mrs. K. Bernbaum, Vesta Drive, presentation tea, with fifteen guests; Mrs. M. Berman, Queen Street West, presentation evening; Mrs. I. Freeman, Rusholme Road, presentation dinner; Mrs. M. Shadlyn and Mrs. R. Laderman, presentation luncheon; Mrs. F. Shleifer, presentation tea at Eaton's Round Room; Mesdames L. Berman, Saul Berman, A. Berman, S. Berman, M. Martin, and S. Shleifer, presentation tea at Park Plaza Hotel; Mrs. S. Hoffer, tea at Eaton's Round Room; Mrs. Roy Drevnig, Glenarden Road, presentation dinner, with fifteen guests; Mrs. S. Silver and Mrs. M. Silver, presentation evening; Mrs. M. Orenstein and Mrs. J. Orenstein, presentation dinner; and Mrs. M. Meltz and Mrs. S. Weisblatt, presentation tea.

Says Holy Land Task Up To Jews Here

An "acute crisis" can develop in Palestine "if we forget European Jewry" or "fail to strengthen religious Jewish education in America," Rabbi Meir Berlin, president of the World Mizrachi Organization, warned 530 persons in the Hotel McAlpin, in New York, at a dinner in his honor sponsored by the Mizrachi Organization of America. Rabbi Berlin came to the U.S. to strengthen relations between Jewish communities in America and Palestine.

"We must realize," he declared, "that a Jewish land without true Judaism will not only become a land of Jews but, with the passing of time, may yet become a land of has-been Jews. We must, therefore, build hand-in-hand the Jewish state and the Diaspora (Jewish communities outside Palestine) which will serve as a spiritual bulwark for the Holy Land."

Rabbi Berlin called for major financial contributions by American Jews for building up Palestine, asserting that "it is now abundantly clear that the greater part of the onus of re-creating the Holy Land falls upon the shoulders of American Jewry."

Leon Gellman, national president of Mizrachi, presided.

Lists Six Aims For Young

The necessity for a separation of church and state in the field of public education was emphasized by Dr. Moshe Davis, dean of the Teachers Institute and College of Jewish Studies of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, at the second annual Rabbinical Assembly conference on Jewish education, attended by 117 rabbis from all parts of the U.S.

In his outline of the objectives of Jewish education, Dr. Davis said the basic premise must be that the Jewish school is complementary to, and not competitive with, the general education of the student.

He listed the six aims it should accomplish among Jewish children as: Acquisition of the Jewish faith in God; application of the Jewish religious ethic as the standard of their relations with their fellow men; development into citizen-builders of America, with a passion for a world order of peace and justice; understanding the central position of Palestine in the religious and cultural pattern of Judaism; observation of the Mizvot (religious precepts) in the habit of their daily lives; and the study of Jewish sources in the original Hebrew.

Rabbi Israel M. Goldman, president of the assembly, said that American Israel must be roused to a keener awareness of the supremacy of religion in the life of the Jewish people and its absolute indispensability for the normal functioning of the Jewish community.

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Urges Fight On All Bigotry

Justice Meier Steinbrink, of New York, national chairman of the Anti-Defamation League of Bnai Brith, urged the Jews of America to subordinate activities directed exclusively at anti-Semitism to a broad effort in behalf of every democratic ideal.

Jewish agencies should be concerned, he said, "not so much with protecting the position of the Jews as with expanding the business of democracy so that all who live in America shall enjoy equally of the rights, obligations and opportunities which America offers."

Senator Wayne Morse, of Oregan, told the conference:

"Every time a man is discriminated against because of race, creed or color, democracy dies a little, since intolerance and injustice strike at the very root of democratic government. Therefore, your fight is the fight of every American who cherishes the Bill of Rights and appropriates its benefits."

Asserting that the forces of bigotry "spawn best in the dark soil of ignorance and stupidity", Senator Morse pledged himself to a continued fight for fair employment practices legislation, a Federal anti-lynching bill and control of the use of culture in Senate debates.

The conference, which took place in Philadelphia, Pa., adopted a report setting $6,104,540 as this year's goal of the Joint Defense Appeal to finance activities of the Anti-Defamation League and the American Jewish Committee.

The Ministry of Social Welfare in Hungary has drafted a decree ordering the payment of relief benefits to dependents of victims of racial discrimination on the same basis and scale as dependents of war victims.

The Greek Government has appointed the Central Board of the Jewish communities as administrator of all Jewish heirless properties in that country, valued at tens of millions of dollars, to be used for the relief and rehabilitation of the Jews of Greece.

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Social Notes — Montreal

(Additional Montreal Social Notes on Pages Two and Three)

Mrs. R. Barsky, McEachran Avenue, entertained eighty guests at the Mount Royal Hotel, in honor of her daughter, Miss Mary Barsky, fiance of Ronald Burg, Van Horne Avenue. Receiving with Mrs. Barsky, were Mrs. P. Burg, mother of the groom-elect; and Miss Barsky. The table was decorated with two candlesticks and a centrepiece of roses, irises, and carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fogel, formerly Miss Gersha Friedman, entertained at a brith at their home, 3300 Troie Avenue, for their son, Mark Simon Fogel, who wore the lace dress which his father wore on a similar occasion. Present were: the baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice F. Friedman, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Fogel; his godparents, Miss Regina Friedman, an aunt, and Maurice Fogel, an uncle; his uncles, Harry D. Fogel, H. H. Fogel, Maurice Fogel, Arthur Friedman, Melvin Friedman, Jack Friedman, Joseph Aaron Friedman, Shulom Zalman Friedman, Tovia Chaim Friedman; his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Oelbaum, and son, Ronald; his uncle, Dr. I. Lubin; and Dr. Simon Gold, Abe Weiner, William Hoffman and Norman L. Solomon. A. Cohen, Queen Mary Road, held the baby during the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Witt, 4666 St. Urbain Street, gave a birthday party in honor of their daughter, Judy, who was three years old. There was a pink and white inscribed birthday cake, and favors for the children. Mrs. Witt wore a black dress, trimmed with sequins. Present were: Mrs. J. Crystal, Judy's grandmother; Mr. and Mrs. H. Small, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pressman, Mr. and Mrs. David Rome, Mrs. H. Gotfrit, Mrs. C. Wagner, Hyman, Meyer, and Rayfield Schrieder, Shirley Freedman, Goldie and Abram Green, Peggy May, Irene Gotfrit, Tibela Rome, Barbara and Flora Wagner, and Jerry and Beth Pressman.

Entertaining for Miss Irma Rhoda Kandestin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kandestin, Old Orchard Avenue, whose marriage to Bernard Maxwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brodkin, 58 Catherine Road, takes place on February 24, were: the mother of the bride-elect, at tea at the Windsor Hotel; Mrs. Joseph Brodkin, of the groom-elect, at tea, at the Ritz Carlton Hotel; Mesdames J. Weigenberg, I. Spector, J. Shavelson, C. Shefler, E. Kutzman, luncheon at the Ritz Carlton Hotel; Miss Rhea Engel, Grosvenor Avenue, tea; Miss Glorianne Schwartz, Landsdowne Avenue, tea; Miss Gertrude Moscovitch, Glencairn Avenue, tea; Mrs. M. Gameroff, Grovehill Place, aunt of the bride-elect, tea; Mrs. M. Siblin, Marcil Avenue, aunt of the bride-elect, tea; Mrs. B. Finestone, Queen Mary Road, evening; Mrs. R. Berzan, Dalou Street, evening; Mrs. S. Fenster, Ridgewood Avenue, dinner evening; Miss Annette Tower, luncheon, at the Mount Royal Hotel; Mrs. N. Brodkin, Roslyn Avenue, dinner evening; and Mrs. L. Williams, St. Viateur Street West, dinner evening.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Abbey (nee Rhoda Ramstein, formerly of Toronto, Ont.), of Renfrew, Ont., formerly of Montreal, a son, David Gordon, at Renfrew, on January 2. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Ramstein, of Toronto, Ont.; and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Abramowitz, Terrebonne Avenue, Montreal.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vaintrub (nee Marilyn Cohen), Ridgevale Avenue, a daughter, Rena, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 4. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Cohen, Decarie Boulevard; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vaintrub, McNider Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Kroch (nee Marjorie Coleman), Jeanne Mance Street, a daughter, Lynda Sheila, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 8; granddaughter of Mrs. E. Coleman, of Los Angeles, Calif.; and of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kroch, Hutchison Street; great-granddaughter of Mrs. S. Gerson, Park Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mark Kerner (nee Irma Rath), Trans Island Avenue, a daughter, Carole Ann, sister of Donna and Paul, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 5. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Rath, Decarie Boulevard; and Mr. and Mrs. S. Kerner, Draper Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gessner (nee Eva Peletz), Park Avenue, a daughter, Barbara, sister of Lillian and Hannah, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 4; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peletz, Bourret Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kirsch (nee Florence Newman), Victoria Avenue, a daughter, Nancy Margaret, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 3; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Newman, Colonial Avenue; and of Dr. and Mrs. Simon Kirsch, Windsor Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fogel (nee Gersha Friedman), 3300 Troie Avenue, a son, Mark Simon Fogel, on Tuesday, December 9, at the Jewish General Hospital; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice F. Friedman, Park Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fogel, Dunlop Avenue. Godparents are Miss Regina Friedman, Park Avenue; and Maurice Fogel, Dunlop Avenue, aunt and uncle of the child. A. Cohen, Queen Mary Road, held him during the ceremony.

A Joint Distribution Committee report says that in the field of cultural revival the Jewish community of France "undoubtedly occupies a special place among the Western European Jewish groups." Not only have special supplementary Jewish schools been established with JDC support in almost every city with a significant Jewish population, but three Yiddish daily newspapers, a number of Yiddish weeklies, a Hebrew magazine and a Yiddish magazine are published by various JDC-supported organisations. In addition, a considerable number of French-Jewish periodicals are appearing in Paris and substantial progress has been made in the field of publication of works of Jewish interest in France. A valuable collection of historical studies has been published by the Centre de Documentation Juive Contemporaine and Centre Israelite D'Information.

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Mix ingredients, creaming sugar into the butter; then adding vanilla and egg-yolks; and then dry ingredients. Use a glass pie-plate, and spread the dough thinly. Line it with jelly or jam; top with stiffly-beaten whites of two eggs, and spread with chopped nuts. Bake at about 350 degrees, for about one-half hour, or until slightly browned.

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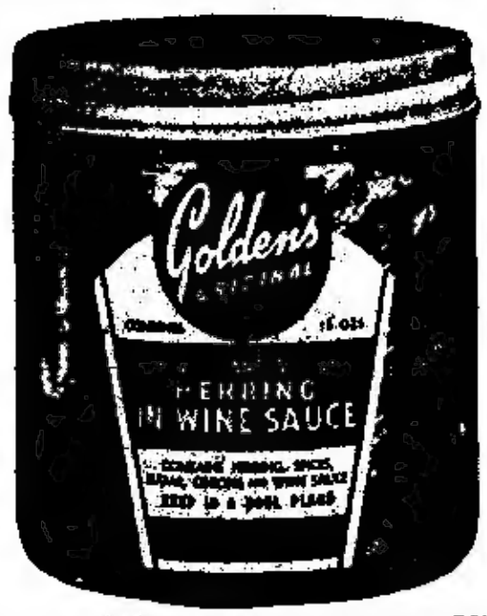

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SOOKMAN-HYTNER

The marriage of Betty (Bertha), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hytner, of Regina, Sask., to Julius Sookman, son of Mrs. Bernard Sookman, St. Norbert Street, took place on November 16, in Regina, Saskatchewan. The bride, given in marriage by her parents, wore a floor-length satin brocaded gown with a nylon net insert, high neckline, short puffed sleeves, with lace mitts, and a very full skirt. Her tulle veil fell from a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Mrs. Morris Marcovitch, aunt of the bride, of Lipton, Sask., as matron of honour, wore a black crepe afternoon dress, with black accessories, black hat, and a corsage of pink carnations. Miss Clara Marcovitch, cousin of the bride, of Lipton, Sask., was bridesmaid. She wore an afternoon dress of light blue jersey, a blue head-piece, and had white accessories and a nosegay of pink carnations and pink streamers. Earl Lyman, of Regina, Sask., cousin of the bride, was best man. The bridal couple spent their honeymoon in Moose Jaw, Sask.; Winnipeg, Man.; Hamilton and Toronto, Ont., and will reside at 124 St. Norbert Street.

SCHNAPP-ABELSON

The marriage of Esther, daughter of Mrs. R. Abelson, Clark Street, and the late Mr. Abelson, to Bernard, son of B. Schnapp, Oldfield Avenue, and the late Mrs. Schnapp, took place on December 31, in the chapel of Chevra Kadisha Synagogue, Rt. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Percy Abelson. She wore a grey crepe afternoon dress, trimmed with a burst of sequins on each side of the waist, long sleeves and a Chinese neckline, with a grey crepe hat, and carried a Bible decorated with an orchid. Saul Schnapp, brother of the groom, was best man. The reception took place for the immediate family at the home of the bride. The table was adorned with flowers and candles. The bridal couple spent their honeymoon in New York, the bride travelling in a grey woollen suit with white accessories, and a grey Persian lamb coat. They will reside at 11 Oldfield Avenue.

ROSENBAUM-SOOKMAN

The marriage of Clara Harriet, daughter of Mrs. Bernard Sookman, 124 St. Norbert Street, to Henry Ivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Rosenbaum, of Lancaster, Pa., took place at the Bucharest on December 28, at seven o'clock, Dr. C. N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sookman. Her silver-grey lame afternoon dress was cut with a V-neckline, short sleeves, and fishtail peplum, and she had a silver lame Juliet cap, with a grey veil, and carried a Bible decorated with an orchid and streamers set on feathers. Mrs. Joseph Miller, cousin of the bride, as matron of honour, wore a black moire ballerina dress, with a coronet of Sweetheart roses. Larry Sookman, brother of the bride, was best man. The "Wedding March" was played. The reception took place at the Bucharest. Mrs. Sookman, mother of the bride, wore a black crepe afternoon dress, trimmed with sequins, black net, with pink ribbon, and a corsage of pink roses on pink feathers. The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in the Laurentian Mountains, the bride travelling in a plain suit, with grey accessories, and a muskrat coat. They will live in Lancaster Pa. Mrs. Jacob Ash and daughter, Dorine, of Quebec City; Mr. and Mrs. L. Schacter, Mrs. C. Bell, and Morris Bell, of Cornwall, Ont.; and Misses Pearl and Myrtle Berta, of Toronto, Ont., were wedding guests.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sacman, Esplanade Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Sandra, to Carl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burg, of Bronx, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs Reuben Cohen, Dollard Avenue, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Gloria, to Hyman, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Adelman, St. Urbain Street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Rohr, Davaar Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annette Rohr, to Bertram P. Fayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fayne, of Boston, Mass., the wedding to take place on June 22, at Adath Israel Synagogue. Miss Rohr is attending McGill University. Mr. Fayne served three years overseas with the United States Army Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Litner, Querbes Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Pearl, to Phillip, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Goldberg, of Granby.

The engagement of Greta, daughter of I. Shier, Park Avenue, and the late Mrs. Shier, to Lorimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Caplan, of Boston, Mass., is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leon, of Windsor, Ont., announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Barbara, to Harold Verner, of Boston, Mass., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Verner, Querbes Avenue. Miss Leon is a grandniece of Mr. and Mrs. M. Leon, Cote St. Luc Road.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gladstone, Clark Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Mona, to Hyman, son of Mrs. P. Krull, Esplanade Avenue, and the late W. Krull, the wedding to take place on June 19, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Berall, Lajoie Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rena, to Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Frank, Stuart Avenue, the wedding to take place on April 15, at Beth David Synagogue.

Increased anti-Semitic agitation in the province of Santa Fe, Argentina, caused the local branch of the DAIA, Argentine Jewish representative body, to ask the authorities in the city of Santa Fe, capital of the province, to guarantee the security of the local Jewish population.

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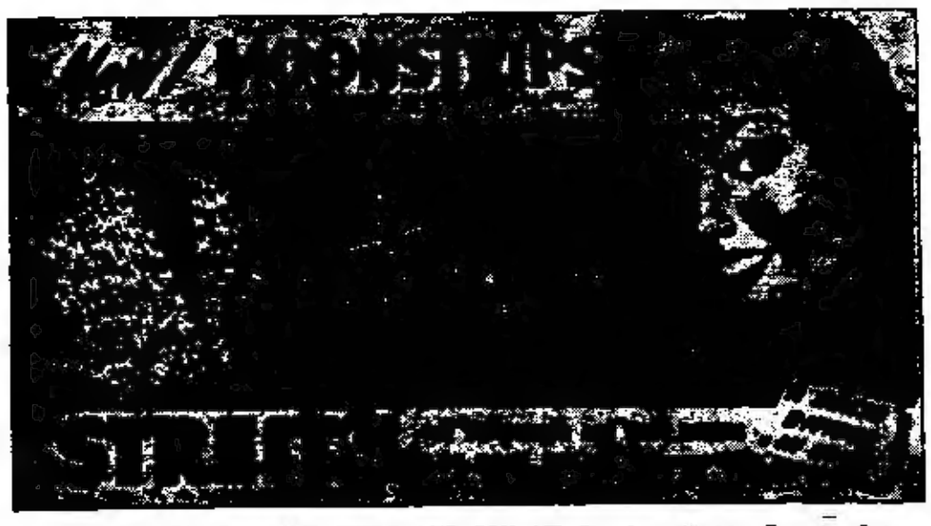

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney G. Cooper (nee Goldie Zahler), Thornton Avenue, a daughter, [illegible] Avenue; [illegible] Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rabow (nee Ethel Katz), Lennox Avenue, a son, William David, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 14. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Katz, Jeanne Mance Street; and Mr. and Mrs. D. Rabow, St. Urbain Street. Godparents are Miss Freda Flaxman, Clark Street; and her fiance, Ben. Wiseman, St. Lawrence Boulevard.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Labow (nee Phyllis Fitch), Vendome Avenue, a daughter, Elaine Lois, sister of Marilyn, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 13; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fitch, Cote des Neiges Road; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. I. Labow; great-granddaughter of Mrs. C. Mintz, Esplanade Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Feinholz (nee Rose Kohl), Joyce Avenue, a son, Lawrence Paul, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 11; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kohl, Joyce Avenue; and of I. A. Feinholz, St. Urbain Street. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenbloom, Waverley Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lazarus (nee Audrey Goldstein), Ridgewood Road, a son, Robert Maxwell Howard Lazarus, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 14.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Litner (nee Sylvia Livis), Drummond Street, a daughter, Bluma Merle, sister of Joseph, at the Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital, on January 14; granddaughter of Mrs. S. Litner, Durocher Avenue, and the late S. Litner; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Livis.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Gordon (nee June Mailman), Ridgewood Road, a son, Spencer Bruce, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 9; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mailman, Cote des Neiges Road. Godparents are Miss Marilyn Mailman, Cote des Neiges Road; and J. L. Mailman, of New York.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Slapcoff (nee Beatrice Greenspoon), Querbes Avenue, a daughter, Jacqueline, sister of Deborah Carolyn, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 9; granddaughter of Mrs. Jack Greenspoon, Beaconsfield Avenue, and the late Jack Greenspoon; and of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Slapcoff, St. Urbain Street; great-granddaughter of Mrs. H. Rosenthal, of New York.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Abrahams (nee Rose Rittenband), Esplanade Avenue, a daughter, Sharyn Sheila, at the Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital, on January 15.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Al. [illegible] General Hospital, on January 19; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. Abrams, Colonial Avenue; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. Freedman. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. Freedman, Park Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Margolis (nee Ida Lebner), Victoria Avenue, a daughter, Gail (Golda), sister of Barbara and Gerald, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 14.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Roskies (nee Sally (Sulamith) Schipper), Maplewood Avenue, a son, at the Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital, on January 13; grandson of E. Schipper, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and the late Mrs. E. Schipper; and of Mr. and Mrs. O. Roskies, Prince Albert Avenue.

Born, to Mr. nd Mrs. Jack Gellis (nee Cecile Steinberg), Park Avenue, a son, Steven, brother of Gordon and Phillip, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 18. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Steinberg, Hutchison Street; and Mr. and Mrs. S. Gellis, Edward Charles Street.

Born, to Reverend and Mrs. J. J. Fromm (nee Rose Filler), Closse Street, a daughter, Rebecca, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 12; granddaughter of Mrs. M. Filler, Esplanade Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Saul Glassman (nee Esther Rivelis), Lacombe Avenue, a daughter, Doreen Paula, sister of Anita and Vera, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on January 14; granddaughter of Mrs. B. Rivelis, Esplanade Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Veroff (nee Esther Solomon), Lajoie Avenue, a daughter, Barbara Rose, sister of Murray and Judy, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 16; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Solomon, de Bullion Street; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. Veroff.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Futterman (nee Sarah Goodman), Colonial Avenue, a son, Howard Alan, at the Jewish General Hospital, on January 18. Godparents are Mrs. Celia Greenberg, an aunt, Colonial Avenue; and Samuel Futterman, the father, Colonial Avenue.

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Montreal Meetings

● YESHIVAH MERKAZ HATORAH: Annual tea for the Beth Jacob Teachers' Seminary took place at the Yeshivah, Mrs. A. Glustein and Mrs. Myer Cohen, hostesses. Mrs. J. L. Gewurtz, president of the sisterhood, presided. Rabbi L. J. Isbee, principal, was the speaker. Miss Sarah Rosenbloom sang.

● PHYLLIS MARCUS Welfare Group: Mesdames R. Marcus, A. Novack, C. Levy, L. Birenbaum, C. Wolman, P. Nagel, Miss Milly Smiley, donated $25 to the Histadruth campaign of the Labor Zionist Organization.

● FEDERATION of Rumanian Jews of Canada, Women's Division: A bazaar, at 5711 Park Avenue, on Sunday, March 14, at one p.m., is being convened by Mrs. M. Segal, assisted by: Mesdames S. Abramovitch, S. Lipes, L. Lazare, G. Rabinovitch, F. Wexler, N. Schwartz, S. Mendelson, J. Jackson. Proceeds will help to send Passover parcels overseas. Mrs. Gussie Aronovitch-Miller will be in charge of booths. At the money shower at Beth David Synagogue Hall, Mrs. Goldie Segal donated the raffle, won by Mrs. Mos Rosenaweig. $20 was realized. Mrs. M. Spivack was hostess at a meeting. Miscellaneous shower in aid of the bazaar is on Wednesday, February 4, at Beth David Synagogue, Mrs. N. Schwartz, hostess.

● YOUNG ISRAEL Synagogue meeting is at the home of Mrs. H. Halickman, 2235 Maplewood Avenue, on Thursday, February 5.

● BARON BYNG High School Home and School Association meets on Thursday, February 4, at 8.15 p.m., in the Little Theatre of the School. Miss Frances Katz will present a play, "The Stolen Prince", with pupils participating. A. Rudy will preside. Refreshments.

● CALANTHE TEMPLE Number One, Pythian Sisters, will attend an initiation meeting on Wednesday, February 4, at Rialto Hall, at 8.30 p.m. Mrs. S. Grand will preside. Mrs. B. Wax is in charge of refreshments. Mrs. M. Bernkoff is head of the hospitality committee.

● HOSPITAL OF HOPE annual social for members of Units and their friends was held at the Talmud Torah. Chairmen were Mrs. S. Cohen and Mrs. A. Feldman. [illegible] Simpson, chairman of the Board of Trustees, spoke. In the musical program were: Doreen Schecter, pianist; Israel Libman, violinist, accompanied by John H. Newmark at the piano; Cantor G. A. Berkovits, accompanied at the piano by Samson Rosemarin; and Miss Ethel Oshire, through the courtesy of Sam. Potash, sang, accompanied at the piano by H. Bert. Units meeting on Monday, February 2, at 8:00 p. m., are: Tikvah, at the home of Mrs. F. Simon, 5622 Phillips Avenue; Jack Bercovitch, at the home of Mrs. H. Dines, 5634 St. Urbain Street; Unit meeting at 2:30 p. m.: Hesha Berson, at the home of Mrs. H. Berson, 4403 Esplanade Avenue. Victory, at the 4465 St. Lawrence Boulevard, hostess, Mrs. P. Daniels. Units meeting on Tuesday, at 8:00 p.m., are: Sara B. Stein, at the home of Mrs. M. Kott, 6075 Wilderton Avenue; Mrs. S. Dalfen will preside; Zalman Weinstein at the home of Mrs. A. Potechin, 5931 Waverly Street; Chaim Revzen Junior, at the home of Mrs. S. Shulman, 4428 St. Urbain Street; Hershel Stavisz, at the home of Mrs. W. Veldor, 4007 St. Urbain Street. Units meeting at 2:30 p. m.; J. Manolson, at the home of Mrs. I. Jacobson, 5205 Trans Island Avenue; Henry Shuster, at the home of Mrs. B. Weiner, 4527 Esplanade Avenue. Units meeting on Wednesday, at at 8:00 p. m.: Bratman Geyer, at the home of Mrs. I. Rosen, 4202 Van Horne Avenue; Moishe Arm Berlin, at the home of Mrs. A. Goldenblatt, 745a Querbes Avenue; Saibel Rubin, at the home of Mrs. S. Finebere, 5267 Jeanne Mance Street; I. J. Borrin, at the home of Mrs. M. Cooper, 805 McEachran Avenue; Leib-Shmul Chaim Backler, at the home of Mrs. J. Block, 3511 Jeanne Mance Street; Feige Bookman, at the home of Mrs. A. Bookman, 5386 Park Avenue; Fraid, at the home of Mrs. B. Bellman, 4165 Clark Street. Units meeting on Thursday, at 8:00 p.m.: Shlamovitch and Medoff, hostesses, Mesdames S. Frankel and L. Wiseblatt; Chaim Revzen, at the home of Mrs. B. Braunstein, 5420 St. Urbain Street. Annual give-or-get luncheon will be held at the Mount Royal Hotel on June 16; Annual meeting of the Hospital on April 7.

● TIFERETH ISRAEL Congregation Ladies' Auxiliary money shower realized $425, Mrs. H. Weintrub, whose invitations brought in $289; Mrs. M. Saibil, $69; Mrs. H. Kramer, $67, were hostesses. Mrs. M. Medwin and Mrs. M. Saibil donated raffles which realized $39. Mrs. A. D. Paltiel, president of Montreal Hadassah, and Louis Capolovitch, the speakers, were thanked by H. Weintrub, J. Itkin. Mrs. J. Orloff sang. Mrs. H. Weintrub presided. Elections on Tuesday evening, February 3.

● JEWISH GENERAL Hospital: Women's Auxiliary board meeting is on Wednesday, February 4, at 2.30 p. m., Mrs. Ezra Losinski, president, presiding.

● ZIONIST Organization: Central Shekel Board of Canada: the national campaign will be extended to March 1, L. D. Crestohl, K.C., chairman, is aided by: L. Miller, N. Velmish, Mrs. A. Raginsky: L. Cheifetz, I. M. Bobrove, Mrs. A. Eaton, A. Katz, H. Reich.

● SPANISH AND PORTUGUESE [illegible] will publish its services, Friday, January 30, at 4.30 p. m.; Saturday, January 31, at 9.00 a. m. Brotherhood meets at Temple Emanu-El Community House, on Wednesday, February 4, at 8.30 p. m., with Horace R. Cohen, O.B.E., as speaker.

● NEW BETH YEHUDA Synagogue: Young People's Group dance, on Saturday, February 7, at 8.30 p. m., at the synagogue. Tickets at the door; dance band; door-prizes. Ben. Finkelstein, dance chairman, is assisted by: Joseph Cooper, Samuel C. Levine, Louis Karovitch, Sol. Zellacker, L. B. Levine, Samuel Cooper, Hy. Drusin. Ben. Finkelstein, president, is assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Levine, Miss Ada Price, Larry B. Levine, and Philip Rosenstein.

● CANADIAN Jewish Congress: The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee reports that 1,200,000 pounds of Matzoh will be baked in Germany. Another million pounds are being shipped to Poland and to Rumania. Thins and other supplies for the coming Passover festival are being provided by the Mo'es Chittin Fund of the Congress and of the AJDC in the United States. L. Rohrlick, K.C., is chairman of the committee: S. Greenfeld, S. Silver, I. Medres, M. Goodman, S. Wasserman, S. D. Gross, A. J. Cohen, Mrs. M. Lefcourt, I. Babb, Mrs. M. Surchin, L. Siatt, I. Eiley, P. Gulkin, Mrs. E. Stall, J. Uditsky, H. Gasen.

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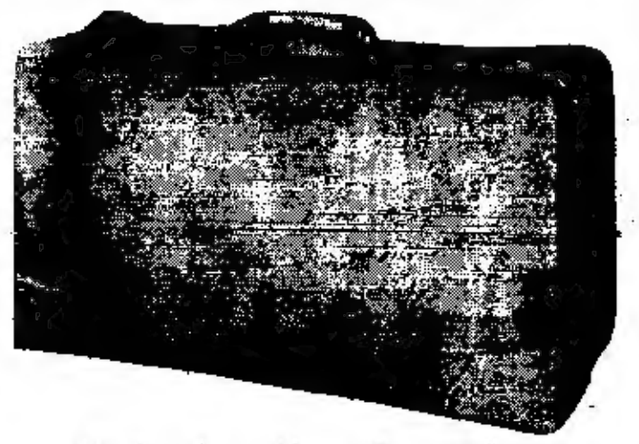
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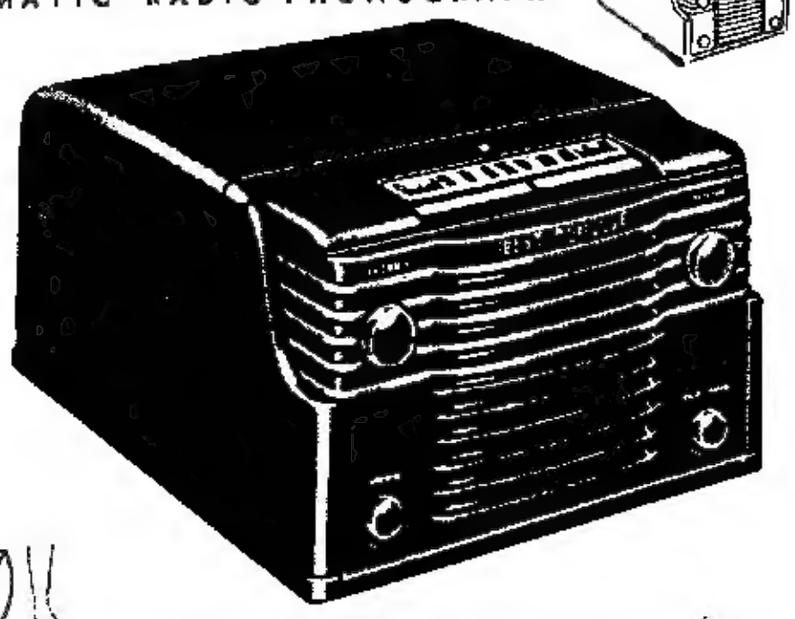
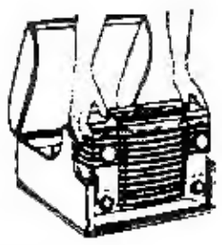
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Social Notes — Toronto

(Additional Toronto News on Page Eight)

Mrs. H. Davidson, Cortleigh Boulevard, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arnold M. Centner, of Timmins, returned from a holiday in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Wilson, Oriole Parkway, are spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dorfman, of Oakville, are spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bloom, Rosebury Road, are spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker, 83 Whitmore Avenue, are spending several weeks in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Epstein, Ava Road, are spending a few months in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Harry Steinberg, Glenholme Avenue and Mrs. Sidney Slanger, Dewbourne Avenue, were in Montreal, Que., for several days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Steinberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goldberg, of Bronx, N. Y., who spent a week in Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. I. Pezim, Turner Road; and were present at the marriage of Miss Bernice Frankel to Murray Pezim.

Mrs. P. Mervin, of Sudbury, spent a week in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Greisman, 110 Walmer Road, are spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenthal, Victoria Boulevard, Windsor, were at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe, Que., after the Zionist Convention, in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Sager and sons, Stanley and Robert, of Astoria, Long Island, N. Y., spent several days at the Royal York Hotel, while here for the Goodman-Clarfield wedding.

Mrs. Oscar Fattenick and daughters, Patricia and Pearl, Austin Terrace, are in Los Angeles, California for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Soudack, of Winnipeg, Man., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Grader, 120 Richview, while here for the Melstein-Grader wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Rosenbaum, of Baltimore, Maryland, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Karp, 18 Claxton Boulevard, while here for the Melstein-Grader wedding.

Eli Pullan, Spadina Road, spent several days at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe, Que., after the Zionist Convention in Ottawa.

Samuel Rosamil, of Baltimore, Maryland, was in Toronto, for the Melstein-Grader wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lewis, Burnside Drive, are spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Dr. Wilfred Weisbrod, has returned to St. Louis, Missouri, after spending his two-week vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Weisbrod, Roxton Road.

Mrs. L. Hauer and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Shay, formerly of 472 Markham Street, moved to their new home at 23 Ennerdale Road.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gold, of Flint, Mich., were at the Royal York Hotel, while here for the Goodman-Clarfield wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Feldt, 10 Chaplin Crescent, left for Los Angeles, California, to visit their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. David Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Rill, of Winnipeg, Man., spent a week at the Royal York Hotel, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pullan, Bathurst Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rothschild, Glen Cedar Road, are spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. J. Rash, Giles Boulevard West, Windsor, was at Manor House, in Ste. Agathe, Que., for several days, after the Zionist Convention in Ottawa.

Mrs. L. Becker, 178 Cortleigh Boulevard, is in Detroit, Mich., visiting for several weeks.

Mrs. I. Ginsburg, Old Park Road, is spending several weeks in Jamaica.

Mrs. M. Weiner, Lytton Boulevard, is spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Mottle Harrison, Northcliffe Boulevard, spent several weeks visiting relatives in New York and Chicago, Ill.; and Mr. Harrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Harrison, of Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Freeman, Rusholme Road, flew to Sault Ste. Marie, to visit the former's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. I. Smith, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sibulash, Glen Cedar Road, are spending several days in Montreal, at the Mount Royal Hotel, visiting relatives.

Mrs. H. Tennenbaum, of New York, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. Grader, 120 Richview Avenue, while here for the Melstein-Grader wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bloomberg, of New York, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Grader, 120 Richview Avenue, while here for the Melstein-Grader wedding.

Ralph Meyers, of Vancouver, B. C., is staying at the Royal York Hotel, and visiting his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pullan, Bathurst Street.

Robert Fish, 61 Burnside Drive, returned from Buffalo, N. Y., after spending several days there.

Miss Minnie Seltz, Ulster Street, is spending a holiday in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Adel and son, Trevor, of Washington, D.C., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Albert, King Street; and Mr. and Mrs. N. Adel, 18 Flanders Road.

Mrs. Samuel Zarnett, 1054 Bloor Street West, is spending several weeks in Glendale, Calif., visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Olch, and granddaughter, Judith Fonda. She is also stopping in Chicago, Ill., to visit her brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Neiman, and Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Nelman.

D. T. Samuels, of Winnipeg, Man., visited his brother, F. W. Samuels, Shaw Street.

Miss Betty Goldberg, Major Street, is visiting relatives in New York for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bernholtz, 623 College Street, have returned from New York after visiting friends and relatives. They were also in Bayonne, N.J., visiting Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nussbaum, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nussbaum, all of Beverley Street, motored to Miami Beach, Florida, for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Hoffman, of New York, spent their honeymoon in Montreal, and Quebec City, Que.; and visited for several days with Mrs. H. L. Goldford, 638 Euclid Avenue, the former's aunt.

Mrs. Annie Moskowitz, Palmerston Boulevard, is spending several months in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Dolgoff, 390 Davenport Road, had as their guest Sidney Halpern, of Hamilton, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rochwerg and sons, Harvey and Cecil, Robert Street, were in Montreal, Que., for several days, to be present at the marriage of their cousin, David Waxman, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Waxman, to Miss Rosaie Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Green, all of Montreal.

Ben Sugarman, Concord Avenue, and Henry Rosen, of Guelph, arrived by clipper in Hamilton, Bermuda, for a two-week vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Kates, Shaw Street, entertained for Miss Jeanette Tugg, of Coburg.

Entertaining for Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller, of Bronx, N.Y., were their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenthal, Northcliffe Boulevard, at dinner; and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Zeidner, 824 Briar Hill, at dinner and dancing, at the Royal York Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Goodman, of Detroit, Mich.; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Applebaum, 183 Northcliffe Boulevard, gave a dinner in honor of Miss Sara Walnitz, of Kitchener, and Ernest Glatt, whose marriage takes place shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hootnick entertained for their son, Lorne, and his friend Harvey Allan Brooker, on their fourth birthday. Present were: Gerrald Tennen, Howard Rosen, Jerold Levine, Helena Bernstein, Lauraine Pancer, and Sheila Tishler.

Miss Sheila Applebaum, 740 Euclid Avenue, was hostess at dinner and theatre in honor of Miss Betty Butovsky, of Ottawa, Ont., whose marriage to Ely Prashker, of Montreal, Quebec, takes place on February 8. Miss Belle Menkes and Mrs. Stan. Levene were there.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray White, Borden Street, gave an impromptu birthday party for their daughter, Gail Louise, who was one year old. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. Serota, her grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Spielman, of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Max Serota and son, Alan; Mr. and Mrs. Morty Naster, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Libman, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Serota, Miss Rose Rotman, and Saul Serota. Gail Louise blew out the candles on her birthday cake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. White, 677 Euclid Avenue, gave a birthday party in honor of their granddaughter, Gail Louise White, 33 Borden Street, on her first birthday. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Murray White, her parents; her other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Serota; her great-grandmother, Mrs. E. Majchandler; and her great-uncle and great-aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Majchandler, of Rio de Janiero, South America; Mr. and Mrs. H. Fronstein and daughter, Sherron; Mr. and Mrs. I. Dlunenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Dlunenfeld, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Pennen and daughter, Marilyn. Gail Louise wore a blue dress, with pink smocking.

Miss Susan Eisen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Eisen, Palmerston Avenue, and fiancee of Jack Grossman, 71 Robert Street, was entertained at a shower by Mrs. M. Grossman, mother of the groom-elect; Mrs. J. Zeidenberg, and Miss Lily Grossman. Mrs. A. Eisen, mother of the bride-elect; and Mrs. M. Grossman, mother of the groom-elect, wore black crepe dresses; and Miss Eisen wore a black and white crepe dress, with an orchid.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Bergman, 104 Oxford Street, celebrated their fifth anniversary at Club Top Hat with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenwald, Mr. and Mrs. J. Garr, Mr. and Mrs. C. Steinberg, Mr. and Mrs. B. Axsmith, Mr. and Mrs. W. Garr, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bender, Miss Esther Kuzner, Miss Ethel Rappaport, Frank Seiden, and H. Seiden.

Mrs. J. Shecter and Mrs. M. Shecter, 94 Whitmore Avenue, entertained at a presentation luncheon at the Flamingo Room, Barclay Hotel, honouring Miss Delia Goodman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Goodman, 329 Palmerston Boulevard, whose marriage to David Greenberg takes place on March 2. Mrs. J. Shecter wore a black crepe dress, trimmed with blue; Mrs. M. Shecter was in black crepe, with beaded trimming; and the honoree wore a black crepe dress. Thirteen guests were present, among them Mrs. S. Segal, of Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Fred. Biback, 460 Grace Street, entertained at cocktails and a luncheon party, with over one hundred guests, at the Vanity Fair, King Edward Hotel, in honour of Miss Rose Levy, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., a bride-elect of June, and fiancee of her son, Sheldon Martin Biback. The hostess wore a dress of a gold and turquoise-blue print on a black crepe background, with a black hat, trimmed with pink roses, and an orchid corsage; Mrs. R. Levy, mother of the bride-elect, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., wore a black crepe dress, with a multi-coloured sequin collar, a black hat, trimmed with satin bows, and an orchid corsage. Miss Levy, the bride-elect, wore a dark green satin dress, with an orchid corsage. The tables held spring flowers; and the honoree's table was decorated with a cut-work cloth, a floral centrepiece, and two white candles. Miss Levy is in the graduating class in nursing at the University of Niagara Falls, N. Y.; and Mr. Biback is in the graduating class in medicine at the University of Toronto. Others present from out-of-town were: Mesdames S. Pugrant, A. Levy, J. Levy, H. Pugrant, and M. Pugrant, all of Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Miss Shirley Zabner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Zabner, 168 McCaul Street, was entertained at a luncheon at Murray House, by Mrs. J. Simmons, 73 Shannon Street; and Mrs. R. Zabner, McCaul Street. The mother of the bride-elect wore a black crepe dress with black accessories, and Mrs. J. Simmons wore a brown print dress, with a matching brown hat, trimmed with ostrich feathers. The bride-elect, fiancee of Jerald Simmons, wore a black satin dress, and grey hat, and carried a wristlet of tiny pink rose-buds. The table was covered with a cloth of Italian cutwork and decorated with white baby chrysanthemums, pink carnations, and pink roses, with white candles and ribbon streamers.

Those who entertained for Mrs. Leslie Drexler, 481 Palmerston Boulevard, formerly Miss Carole Levenson, were: Mrs. I. Levenson, 481 Palmerston Boulevard, mother of the bride, at a luncheon at the King Edward Hotel; Mrs. M. Drexler, Grace Street, tea at Eaton's Round Room; Mrs. H. Roth, Vermont Avenue, and Mrs. M. Burke, of Oakville, tea at Eaton's Round Room; Mrs. M. Levenson, Atlas Avenue, linen shower; Mrs. S. Salutin, Montrose Avenue, and Mrs. A. Schwartz, Rushton Road, luncheon at the Barclay Hotel; Miss Edith Caller, Baldwin Street, presentation luncheon; Miss Ida Illion, College Street, presentation tea; Mesdames M. Brown, Rosenbeath Gardens, M. Levy, Coulson Avenue, and Jack Miller, Atlas Avenue, evening presentation at the former's home; Mrs. Leonard Caplan, Whitmore Avenue, luncheon presentation; Mrs. K. Collish, Brunswick Avenue, and Miss Goldie Wiseman, Baldwin Street, evening presentation at the latter's home; Mr. and Mrs. S. Koffman, Alberta Avenue, presentation dinner and theatre; Mrs. Harry Alexandroff, Powell Hill Road, presentation dinner and theatre; Mrs. J. Klayman, Crawford Street, and Mrs. M. Klienberg, Crawford Street, evening presentation at the former's home; Miss Eve Borsook, Brunswick Avenue, presentation luncheon; Mrs. M. Zweig, Coolmine Road, and Mrs. A. Salutin, Westmount Avenue, presentation tea at the Royal York Hotel; Mrs. B. Rosenberg, Castleview Avenue, and Mrs. A. Pasternack, Fisher Street, presentation tea at the Round Room; Mrs. M. Simkewitz, Ava Road, presentation evening; Mrs. J. Roth, Cortleigh Boulevard, presentation evening; Mrs. A. Saltzman, Grace Street, presentation evening; Mesdames L. Hochberg, Montrose Avenue; H. Katz, A. Opaboum, J. Naiman, and F. Baker, presentation evening at the former's home; and Misses Jeanette Edelstein and Faye Rosenberg, of Chatham, at a luncheon.

All news, advertising and pictures omitted this week due to lack of space, will be run in next week's issue.

News Company Head Dies

Morris Eisenman, president and one of the founders of the Metropolitan News Company, distributor of newspapers and periodicals, and a leader in Jewish philanthropic and cultural organizations, died in New York after a brief illness in Beth Israel Hospital. His age was 74.

He was long active in Zionist movement in America and was a close personal friend of Dr. Chaim Weizmann, former president of the Jewish Agency in Palestine, whose selection as head of the proposed Jewish state is being favored in some quarters.

Born in Bialystok, Poland, Mr. Eisenman was brought to the U.S. in 1888. He began life as a newsboy on the East Side, where his business activities were concentrated for the remainder of his life. From the owner of a small stationery story, he rose to the presidency of one of the largest newspaper distributing agencies in the U.S.

In the Nineties, he was co-founder of Abendblatt, Yiddish newspaper, and in 1897 assisted in organizing the Jewish Daily Forward. In 1930 he helped found the organization he headed until his death.

Mr. Eisenman took an active interest in all cultural and philanthropic enterprises relating to American Jewry and was a member and director of many organizations, including the Zionist Organization of America, the Palestine Foundation Fund and the Hertzlish Academy. He was also honorary president of the Bialystoker Home for the Aged, at 228 East Broadway.

Several years ago he helped organize and finance the Dvir Publishing Company in Palestine. This concern, headed by Chaim Nachman Bialik, Hebrew poet, and Dr. Schmarya Levin, was formed to publish original and translated works in Heberw.

Mr. Eisenman also helped finance "The Eternal Road," biblical spectacle, directed by Max Rhinehardt and produced at the Manhattan Opera House in 1937.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Fanny Eisenman of 166 Second Avenue; two sons, Robert H. and Isadore; and two daughters, Mrs. Vernon Samuels and Mrs. Moe Lippman, all of New York.

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Toronto Meetings

• SINAIS luncheon meeting had Mrs. Zweig presiding. Mrs. A. Salutin, program convener, announced that $10,000 (ten thousand dollars) was raised on the dance program in aid of the Mount Sinai Hospital. A door prize was won by Mrs. S. Tytle. A raffle drawn by Mrs. B. Winston was won by Mrs. M. Freedwell. Mrs. A. Mandell and Mrs. J. Caplan are Youth Aliyah conveners. Misses Lola Rappaport, Shirley Shelter, Lila Roebuck, Ruth Bochner, and Charlotte Wagman were chosen to sell boutonieres at the Valentine dance on February 10, proceeds to be divided for Youth Aliyah, and Belsen Camp in Germany. Program conveners are Mesdames R. Gall, S. Shelter, S. Tytle. Ticket conveners are Mrs. M. Sulman and Mrs. A. Rappaport.

• CLUB ATHALIA (formerly Deborah Assembly No. 5, Order of the Rainbow Girls) entertained a Jewish Council Youth Centre group, at the home of Miss Bernice Levine, 605 St. Clarens Avenue. Misses Frances Findlay, president, and Evelyn Wellman, vice-president, received.

• PRIDE OF ISRAEL: Young Women's Group food shower for Europe was at the home of Mrs. E. Gilbert, chairman. The Group bought a fifty-dollar advertisement in the program of the Senior Group Freedom Night dance, which will be held on March 24. Mrs. R. Goldstein is secretary.

• PI LAMBDA PHI Fraternity, University of Toronto, annual charity ball is on Saturday, January 31, at the Crystal Ballroom, King Edward Hotel. Patrons will be: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Gerston Allen, Colonel David A. Croll, M. P., and Mrs. Croll, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sadowski, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Weiss. Tickets at the door. Information from the fraternity house, Kingsdale 7980. Two orchestras will play for dancing. Proceeds are for rehabilitation of displaced orphans in Canada. Sidney Bossin, convener, is assisted by Mitchell Tanz, Harold Nashman, Richard Rosenberg, Saul Sigal, Bernard Schacter. President is Meyer Brody, assisted by Murray Sussman, Merton Yolles, Harold Nashman, Mitchell Tanz, Norman Schipper. Past executive was Harry Mayzel, president; and Allan Lewis, Myer Brody, Morton Pullan, Mitchell Tanz, Austin Cooper.

• CANADIAN HEBREW Ladies Auxiliary heard Mrs. A. Levy, vice-president, give her report on the sick; and Mrs. M. Fuller on the soldiers' fund. H. Goldstick spoke on Palestine. Mrs. I. Nissenbaum donated a gift which was raffled, proceeds for the Canadian Jewish Congress to buy canned foods to be sent to Europe. The draw was won by Miss Sheila Dawson.

• RUMANIAN LADIES Auxiliary, Adath Israel: At the monthly meeting at the Synagogue, with Mrs. L. Hertzman presiding, the guest speaker was Mrs. Barney J. Goldhar. At a social, hostesses were. Mesdames I. Pezim, M. Cohen, B. Fabish, L. Hetzman, M. Ingles, A. Soloman, J. Steinberg, M. Wilco, J. Wolfman, B. Olch, K. Davis, H. Moses, M. Davis, S. Segal, H. Altman, J. Orenstein, J. Gilbert, S. Grossman, M. Goldberg, S. Spector, S. Currin, M. Digler, M. Marks, J. Orenstein, J. Sutin.

• GRAND ORDER OF ISRAEL Ladies Auxiliary saw installed at the Murray House: president, Mrs. C. Sager; Mesdames H. Wiener, F. Ross, B. Wiser, D. Allen. Presentations were made to the retiring members of the executive: Mrs. J. Golden, president; and Mesdames P. Albright, B. Mostyn, B. Wiser, F. Ross. Monte Carlo Night, on February 21, at the Zionist Building, will aid Youth Aliyah. Conveners are: Mesdames: D. Allen, E. Estrin, K. Cransman, J. Lebow, I. Epstein.

• MIZRACHI WOMEN'S Organization Deborah Chapter social evening, at the home of the president, Mrs. J. Feder, Major Street, raised funds for refugee children in Palestine. Mizrachi Women's Council combined meeting of all chapters was at the home of Mrs. P. Edell, Palmerston Boulevard. Guest of honour was Mrs. R. Bessin, of Ottawa, national president. Mrs. H. Frankel is president. Haifa Chapter met at the home of Mrs. M. Gamer, Claxton Boulevard; president is Mrs. D. Cadesky.

• HADASSAH: Mrs. E. Herman, 61 Lyndhurst Avenue, will be hostess to a meeting on Tuesday evening, February 3, for the purpose of forming a business and professional chapter. Guest speaker is to be Mrs. Jeanette Davidoff, of South Africa, who just visited Palestine. She was born in South Africa, graduated from a university there, and is a member of the Women's International Zionist Organization. She has travelled extensively through Europe and Palestine, visited D. P. camps, and is familiar with the work of Youth Aliyah. Her husband, an attorney, is a member of the Transvaal Provincial Council, and Mrs. Davidoff was active in the Casualty Department of the Defence Liason Committee of South Africa during the war.

• CANADIAN Jewish Congress Central Region: A conference of religious leaders met to plan the forthcoming Moles Chittin Campaign. The purpose of this age-old campaign is to provide the needy with the means to celebrate Passover. The chairman was H. M. Caiserman, of Montreal, general secretary of Congress, who emphasized the necessity of a broader effort than usual because it is now possible to reach many tens of thousands of European Jews who were formerly inaccessible to aid. Committee is: Rabbi A. Kelman, Rabbi A. A. Price, Rabbi E. Schild, Rabbi Judah Washer, J. Donnenfeld, H. Eisen, M. Tarnawsky.

• Mrs. Maurice A. Lavine, 33 Delevan Avenue, district publicity director of Bnai Brith, Women's District Grand Lodge Number One, spoke to members in Buffalo and Hamilton on the importance of the youth program. Mrs. Lavine is a past president of the Toronto Chapter.

• D'ARCY TALMUD TORAH Sisterhood met at the home of Mrs. C. Kilien, 19 Crang Avenue. Mrs. A. Goldman presided and the guest speaker was Dr. H. Loizner. The raffle in aid of Youth Aliyah was won by Mrs. M. Rotstein.

• Norman Cowan, 48 Braemar Road, president of Toronto Lodge Bnai Brith No. 836, was in New York, for the special district conference of the Anti-Defamation League.

• SENIOR MIZRACHI: A Chanukah Asar Bishevat party was held at the Mizrachi Centre, 461 Spadina Avenue. Mrs. R. Bessin, of Ottawa, president of Mizrachi Women of Canada, was guest speaker. Menorah Chapter annual tea is on Sunday, March 21, at the home of Mrs. L. Ginsberg, 309 Rosemary Road. The president is Mrs. I. Schatten.

• BNAI BRITH Toronto Lodge No. 836: On Monday, February 2, at 8.30 p.m., the well-known author, Anna Louise Strong, will speak at the Royal York Hotel. N. Cowan will preside, assisted by H. Goodman, M. Shekter, M. Goldstone. Nomination. Meeting open to members only.

• HILLEL FOUNDATION, of the University of Toronto, will present their annual concert at 8.30 p.m., on January 31, at Eaton auditorium, with a joint recital by Julius Chajes (composer-pianist), and Marguerite Kozenn (dramatic soprano). Tickets at Eaton Auditorium. Public is welcome. Miss Ethel Greben is publicity director.

MARRIAGES

BERMAN-KOZLOV

The marriage of Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Berman, 239 Beatrice Street, to Isidore Kozlov, son of Mrs. J. Kozlov, 107 Nassau Street, and the late A. Kozlov, took place on Sunday, January 11, at two o'clock, at Yeshivah Torath Chaim, Rabbi A. Price officiating, assisted by Cantor M. Shapiro. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. Her gown of ivory-shaded satin was fashioned with a shirred sweetheart neckline, full-length sleeves, wasp waistline, and full skirt with bustle back, ending in a short train. Her finger-tip veil was caught to a tiered and beaded headdress, and she carried a cascade of red roses. Miss Laura David attended the bride as maid of honour, wearing a powder-blue sheer gown, with silver headdress, and carried a bouquet of red and yellow carnations. Allan Berman attended the groom as best man. The bride's mother, Mrs. Berman, received, wearing a black crepe dress, trimmed with silver and turquoise-blue sequins, and a corsage of red roses; with Mrs. Kozlov, mother of the groom, wearing a powder-blue crepe dress, with a corsage of red roses. The bride and groom left on a wedding trip to Montreal, Que., the former wearing a red wool suit, brown mouton coat and matching brown accessories. The bride and groom will reside at 107 Nassau Street. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Burk, of Oshawa; and Mrs. M. Sumos, of Los Angeles, Cal.

SOLOMON-DREVNIG

The marriage of Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Drevnig, 152 Chiltern Hill Road, to Harry Leon Solomon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Solomon, 651 College Street, took place on Sunday, January 4, at half-past five o'clock, at Shaarei Shomayim Synagogue, Rabbi Judah Washer officiating, assisted by Cantors A. Steinberg and S. Federman. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore a gown of blush-pink slipper-satin, the neckline embroidered in seed pearls, with long tight sleeves, a fitted bodice, and full hooped skirt, with bustle back, extending in a long train. She carried a white Bible, decorated with two orchids and streamers. Miss Adele Drevnig was the maid of honour, in a gown of white brocaded satin, with hoop skirt and bustle back. She had American Beauty roses in her hair, and carried a cascade of multi-coloured roses. The bridesmaids, Misses Renee Drevnig, Nina Silverstein, Bernice Drevnig, Adele Solomon, Rose Wayne, Rose Urkowitch, and Florence Blustein, were dressed alike in white crepe dinner gowns, fashioned with long tight sleeves and draped skirts, with orchids in their hair, and carried cascades of roses. Karen Solomon, as flower girl, was dressed in white faille taffeta, with ruffled skirt, trimmed with pink and blue rosebuds, with a headdress of pink rosebuds, and carried a basket of rose petals. Samuel Solomon was the groom's best man, and the ushers were: Albert Fish, Paul Silverstein, Sol. Leibowitz, I. Huffman, Morris Diamond, and Murray Blustein. The bride's mother, Mrs. Drevnig, wearing a gown of lime-green crepe, with corsage of Talisman roses, received with Mrs. Solomon, mother of the groom, who wore a gown of grey crepe, with corsage of American Beauty roses. The bride and groom left on a wedding trip to Montreal and Ste. Agathe Que., the former wearing a grey barathea suit, with green lizard accessories, a beaver coat, and an orchid corsage. They will reside at 162 Chiltern Hill Road. Out-of-town wedding guests were: Leon Baumander, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Max Silverstein, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Silverstein, Norman Silverstein, Miss Nina Silverstein, Mrs. J. Bomal, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kramer, Miss Rhoda Kramer, and Gerald Kramer, all of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. M. Walters, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Melnick, of Hamilton.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Mottle Harrison, 30 Northcliffe Boulevard, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian, to Jack Hyman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hyman, 248 Augusta Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Zabner, 168 McCaul Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley, to Jerry Simmons, son of Mrs. K. Simmons, the wedding to take place in March.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Johan Rosen (nee Goldie Wolfe), 528 Brunswick Avenue, a daughter, Marsha Darlene, on January 16, at Mount Sinai Hospital. Grandparents are Mrs. Michael Wolfe, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Rosen, of Montreal, Que.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jacobs (nee Rose Jacobs), 148 Dewbourne Avenue, on January 17, at Toronto General Hospital, a daughter, sister of Bryna Lea.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Goodman (nee Maisie Marcus), 764 Avenue Road, at Toronto Western Hospital, on January 19, a daughter, Erica. Grandparents are Mrs. Minnie Marcus, of Ottawa; and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goodman, Hillcrest Drive.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spiegel (nee Gerrie Berman), 27 Wales Avenue, on January 16, at Women's College Hospital, a daughter, Marna Lee. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max Spiegel, 482 Euclid Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stulberg (nee Mollie Geller), 137 Gorevale Avenue, on January 17, at Toronto Western Hospital, a daughter, Leslie Susan. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max Geller, 137 Gorevale Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stulberg, 33 Oxford Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Swartz (nee Rose Kantor), 42 Dewson Street, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 21, a daughter, sister to Velvela. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. Kantor, 615 Ossington Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Swartz, Queen Street; great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Brodt, 8 Sullivan Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. M. Horowitz (nee Mollie Sherman), 411 Spadina Avenue, at Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 20, a son, brother of Alan. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. Sherman, 31 Wolsley Street; and J. Horowitz, 41 Saint Patrick Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Webber (nee Tillie Sandberg), 62 Castlewood Road, at Toronto General Hospital, on January 19, a daughter, Janis Linda, sister of Fred. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Sandberg, 270 Rusholme Road; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Webber, 124 Beatrice Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Max Feldstein (nee Belle Verman), 270 Beatrice Street, at Toronto General Hospital, on January 21, a daughter, sister of Michael Lawrence. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. Verman, 270 Beatrice Street; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Feldstein, Greenlaw Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Greenberg (nee Mary Rubinoff), 43 Borden Street, at Women's College Hospital, January 23, a daughter, Lagnetta, sister of Baila. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. Rubinoff, 43 Borden Street; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenberg, 564 Richmond Street West.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laibowitz (nee Honey Gasberg), on January 25, at Mount Sinai Hospital, a daughter, sister of Barry Martin. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. Gasberg, 530 Euclid Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Zwill, of Irvington, N.J.

Cards Of Thanks

The family of the late Mrs. Laura Horenblas wish to thank all their relatives and friends for their many kindnesses and acts of sympathy extended to them during their recent sad bereavement.

DEATHS

Carl Kadaner, 37 Oxford Street, died suddenly on January 10, at the age of fifty-four, at the Toronto General Hospital. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Bessie Kadaner; two daughters, Mrs. M. Gilman (Rena); Mrs. D. Rosen (Mary); one brother, Solomon; and two grandchildren, Elaine Rosen, and Sandra Gilman. Funeral was held at United Hebrew Funeral Parlour, Burial took place at Minsker Farband Cemetery, Wilson Avenue. Mr. Kadaner was financial secretary of the Minsker Farband.

A comprehensive record of the Jewish resistance movement on all anti-fascist fronts during World War II will be published shortly by the American Committee of Jewish Writers, Artists and Scientists. It will constitute an authentic history of Jewish guerilla, partisan and underground fighters, based on data supplied by the respective governments and the archives of resistance groups.

Morris I. Simpson, 321 Glenayr Road, Toronto, was elected national president of the Jewish Immigrant Aid Society of Canada, after serving as president of the Central Region.

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Commentaries

By Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi

The Synagogue In Modern Life

"Open then mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law."—Psalm 119:18.

The sense of wonder seems to have gone out of life. For multitudes life is a perfunctory affair. The majesty of the world's wonders finds no response in their souls. Perhaps the wonder-sense is crushed in us today because we live so feverishly and our souls, devoid of contemplation, have thus become dulled. The poet-Psalmist, realizing that the daily routine of life at all times may tend to make men insensate to the wondrous, thus prays:

"Open thou mine eyes that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law."

Not only the Torah but every institution in Judaism is beauty-laden, if we come to know its history and its meaning.

Here stands the central institution of Judaism—The Synagogue! What is its origin? What message does it have for us modern Jews? What is its message to the world? Long before our sires entered the promised land they erected a portable synagogue known as the tabernacle. The architects of the tabernacle, so scripture records, complained because the people brought too many donations toward the building of the "Mishkan." Now, while the people of antiquity, such as the Romans, built roads and the Egyptian pyramids, the Jews indulged in the building of sanctuaries. Thus when Israel lived in Palestine it erected the sanctuary at Shilo.

At a later date King Solomon built the majestic temple at Jerusalem, and when the temple of Solomon was destroyed and the Jews were led captives to Babylon, there and then, in all probability arose the synagogue where the people gathered for study and prayer. Surely, after the destruction of the second temple by the Romans the Synagogue came to occupy the centrality of Jewish life. Congregational worship and lay leadership came to play an important role.

There is no doubt that one of the greatest contributions to the history of religion was the institution of the synagogue. No human institution has done more for the uplift of the human race than the synagogue. Out of the synagogue arose the Church of Christianity and the Mosque of Mohammedanism. Behold the number of Christian churches in every metropolis named after Jews! Surely, in our city of Montreal, dozens of Christian ecclesiastical institutions bear Jewish names. Alas, Christians seem to forget all this and often Jews are not even aware of it.

As I see the synagogue in our age it is the great retreat, the place of refuge where we may escape from the noise and vulgarity of the world. Where else can we truly find the desired peace of mind if not within the holy sanctuary? Here in communion with God, we can find if we seek that refreshment of spirit which enables us to courageously face all of life. Here in the synagogue, we come to know that life has spiritual grandeur, and that we can emancipate ourselves from the enslavement of just things and more things.

The eternal flame kindled in the temple in Jerusalem burns within every synagogue to remind men that he is both a child of Heaven and Earth. The place where our tears become sanctified through prayer is indeed in the sanctuary.

What strength can come to us if we accompany our tears with prayer in God's house! We then come to learn the blessing of tears! An old Jewish legend tells us that when Adam and Eve were driven out of the Garden of Eden, so overwhelmed did they become with this first tragedy that they found life unendurable. Inarticulate was their sorrow, and they were bent by despair. Then God showed compassion. Out of His spiritual treasury He gave to Adam and Eve the gift of tears so that they could meet their sorrow and not be broken by it, and this gift was transmitted in turn to human kind. Our joys, too, we can best experience by bringing them to God's house, and thus sanctify life. Alas, multitudes do not know today the meaning of sanctified joy.

The synagogue has even been the school where Jews learned the meaning of Judaism as a way of life. Study was ever paramount to prayer in Judaism. Not only children but grown up men assembled for study in the synagogue. Alas, many of our synagogues have become "infantilized"—the only study of Judaism is entrusted to children in the religious school. But Judaism, to survive, must have men and women of Torah! A Torahless Jewry is destined to perish. We rejoice that an attempt is made to recapture the tradition of Torah in modern Jewry. Classes in adult Jewish education are being fostered within the precincts of the temple or synagogue.

We have ever liked the designation of the synagogue as "Shule"—reminding us at all times that the sanctuary is the school where young and old are instructed in the ideals of Judaism. If the prophetic ideals of justice, love and righteousness are to be implemented in life, these ideals must first become the possession of men and women through instruction and inspiration given by the synagogue.

Surely, it must be recognized by all that the institution which has made for Jewish survival, is none other than the synagogue! All other institutions are but derivatives of the synagogue. Our Jewish schools, philanthropies, and hospitals can only have meaning if the synagogue is vital and dynamic. Without a living synagogue, Israel in the diaspora has no future! Thus it is incumbent upon every self-respecting Jew to support the synagogue. For the essence of Jewish life is Judaism. And our answer to all our problems is the urgent need for more Judaism. We pity the many within Israel who have been remiss toward the synagogue.

Last but not least, the bond which unites all Israel is the sanctuary. What a pity that because we have shades of religious expression, we have often made the synagogue into a divisive institution. What matters it whether one is Orthodox, Reform or Conservative? It is important that Jews attend the synagogue, no matter of what label. The poison in modern Jewish life is the unaffiliated—they who live spiritually in a no-man's land. Jews are entitled to religious pluralism. But what Jews must abhor is indifference to the religious heritage.

In these days of crisis the synagogue must shelter the totality of Jewish life. Jews suffer from fragmentation. To be a Zionist only is insufficient. Merely to associate with Jews is not enough. The synagogue must be a beneficent influence in motivating Jews to keep high ethical standards and strive with all men in building universal justice and righteousness.

Here stands the synagogue, the greatest institution in Judaism. Let modern Jews come to know and love this wondrous sanctuary through which Israel has brought the greatest of gifts to civilization. Today in particular the whole of mankind is in urgent need of a return to religion. Let the Jew who gave religion to the world lead the way through the synagogue, and thus give hope to a world in despair.

WHAT SHOULD BE THE ATTITUDE OF JEWS TOWARD THE NEW STATE?

By Joseph M. Proskauer, Of New York, President Of The American Jewish Committee.

As I write these words the press is carrying conflicting accounts of the implications for Jewry of the partition of Palestine. As president of the American Jewish Committee I deem it important that there should be a clear statement of what I believe to be the philosophy and attitude of the American Jew.

We are told by the anti-Semite, through malice, and by some small sections of American Jewry, through confusion, that this partition has created a problem of possible inconsistency between our obligations as Americans and as Jews. Five years ago our committee stated: "There can be no political identification of Jews outside of Palestine with whatever government may there be instituted."

These words state an axiom and remain true today. The Jews of America suffer from no political schizophrenia. Politically we are not split personalities, and in faith and in conduct we shall continue to demonstrate what the death tolls of our army on many a battlefield have attested that we are bone of the bone and flesh of the flesh of America.

What should be the attitude of Jews toward this newly to be created state? We have affirmed our sympathy with and our desire to co-operate with those Jews who wish to settle in Palestine. Now we find this embryo state already beset with the horrors of violence and bloodshed and its shores largely closed to that suffering remnant of downtrodden European Jewry which yearns to go there as the parched throat in the desert yearns for the waters of the oasis. In helping them we emphasize that nothing can be done which in any degree constitutes a violation of the laws or the executive action of the United States of America.

But we have a right to represent to our government for its action a great fundamental truth. The United Nations Assembly did not merely decide a dispute between two peoples — it prescribed a course of international conduct; it decreed that partition was a measure that made for the peace of the world. The world must support that decree. The responsible Jews in Palestine are engaged in no struggle for aggression or of aggrandizement. If any hot-headed group is acting at variance with this position, that group is disavowed. But responsible Jewish leadership asks for nothing except that the mandate of the Assembly of the United Nations be executed. To enforce it requires policing of Palestine against the violence that has there been incited chiefly under the leadership of Arabs identified with Hitler.

It is vital not only to the Jews of Palestine but to the peace of the world that the dignity and integrity of a resolution of the Assembly of the United Nations be defended against such bloodthirsty attempts to thwart it as have appeared in Palestine during the last few weeks. To that end we urge on our State Department — that under the Security Council of the United Nations there must be created a sufficient constabulary to preserve peace and order in Palestine when the British withdraw and to make clear to the world that the decision of the United Nations Organization is not to be treated as a scrap of paper.

Second, during this crucial interim between the decision of the Assembly and the actual withdrawal of the British, order must be maintained in Palestine. It is not being maintained. Merely to place an embargo on the importation of munitions into Palestine, when the Mufti can draw arms from other Arab states, will certainly not tend to produce that order. Haganah is a force in Palestine which must be sharply differentiated from the terrorists. It is a band of Jewish men and women claiming no objective other than the defense of their lives, their hearths and their homes. The conduct of the Arabs in Palestine is a threat to international peace, and we should ask of our government that they support a policy that, through the United Nations, those who are defending the decision of the United Nations be given the means with which to make their defense effective.

This is not merely a pro-Jewish position. This is a pro-American position and a pro-United Nations position. Nor must we forget our ultimate. That is, in the words of Dr. Weizmann, a state where Arabs do not dominate Jews and Jews do not dominate Arabs. There is a great basis of good-will between right-thinking Arabs and right-thinking Jews in Palestine upon which the structure of two such states can be built. What is going on today is an attempt to destroy that good-will, engineered by friends of Hitler and enemies of the United Nations, who have had the hardihood to proclaim that it is their endeavor to save the prestige of the United Nations and reduce it to a mockery.

This statement, I believe, raises a standard to which every right-thinking American, Jew or Christian, and every right-thinking supporter of the United Nations can with confidence and high hope adhere.

Wanted: Action On The DP's

The New York Times says:

From Geneva our correspondent Michael Hoffman reports that the International Refugee Organization will urge member nations to take a "fair share" of the 625,000 displaced persons in German, Austrian and Italian centers. The terminology "fair share", it was felt, would "go down better with the United States and the other potential absorbing governments" than a "right quota system," which was recommended and bitterly fought out at the last meeting of the Preparatory Commission for IRO.

Few human problems since the end of the war have stirred the conscience of the world more than the DP problems. Yet words, phrases and tentative proposals must still be weighed against the sensitivities—rather the prejudices—of a handful of lawmakers while men and women who fought for the Allies or were persecuted for their religious beliefs miserably wait out a third winter of "peace" in barracks and makeshift communities.

It is nearly a year since Congress opened hearings on the Stratton bill to admit 400,000 of them to the United States over a four-year period—a figure which represents a fraction of the immigrant quotas which expired unfilled for the past decade. A special Congressional committee investigating 150 of the camps last September and October concluded: 'To observe the courageous efforts of most of (the DP's) to maintain dignity in the fact of the most trying limitations is to learn that most of these people, given an adequate approach to the solution of their problems, will be an asset and not a liability to the western world." How much more time does Congress require to act boldly and honorably upon this question?

For it is a problem that finds the people of the United States far ahead of the lawmakers. Some 150 national organizations, including all leading veteran, labor, religious, women's, civic, welfare and government groups, support the admission of DP's here. And, what should certainly give constituent-minded Congressmen food for thought, a grass roots movement has sprung up in North and South Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa and Nebraska to "inaugurate studies to determine how many DP's could be absorbed into their states."

Impressed with the farming and other skills of many DP's, Minnesota has distributed 150,000 questionnaires through the churches to ascertain whether their members would like to bring in relatives from the camps, or, lacking relatives, whether they want to help displaced families "come to Minnesota to live." In prospect is a conference of the Governors of fifteen states to show Congress how ordinary people feel about this human problem. The question is, Will Congress respond to this popular demand for action—and if so, how soon?

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resistance during the German occupation and was in and out of concentration camps. He now operates the Rothschild Hospital Jewish displaced persons' center in Vienna. He reveals that 145,000 refugees have passed through there in two and a half years.

Where they are now no one, least of all Mr. Teichols, knows or will say. But there are fewer than 30,000 Jewish displaced persons now in Austria, and the number of Jews in displaced persons' camps remains the same, despite the constant influx of new refugees.

It is an open secret that they are sped on their way by the Jewish underground railroad that stretches across Europe—some into Italy, others through France to Marseille, reports the New York Times. Lately, a more direct route to Palestine has been opened up, through the Black Sea ports of Constanza and Burgos, since the Rumanian and Bulgarian authorities have started permitting shiploads of Jewish refugees to sail from those ports.

What percentage of them have been getting into Palestine? There is no answer to that one except the remark of a man who is believed to be himself a leader of the Jewish underground: "Some day, when a census is made in Palestine, the British will learn how many ships got through."

Twenty thousand Rumanian Jews have passed through Vienna since last June. Thirty thousand more are looked for next spring, despite border restrictions, unless the Black Sea route siphons them all off that way.

Information regarding the leaders of the underground movement and their tactics obviously is difficult to obtain. From sources close to the movement it appears, however, that some are practical men; others are mystics who link up events in Palestine with fulfillment of the Biblical prophecy about re-establishment of a Jewish nation. There are indications that sometimes these leaders play an active part in fostering discontent and inciting people to migrate. But a plausible conclusion is that they could not do it unless the mood existed in the people themselves.

WARNS

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sible our desperate brothers overseas, to succor the displaced and homeless."

Mr. Blaustein said the American Jewish Committee's concern for finding homes for displaced persons has not been limited to Palestine. Immigration opportunities, he declared, have been sought in a number of other countries. He stressed that existence for Jews, as for all persons, must be made secure in whatever land they live.

Dr. John Slawson, executive vice-president of the AJC, reported that social discrimination in America was far in excess of what might be expected in a democracy.

"It must be stamped out," he said, "because otherwise it becomes a festering sore which ultimately can grow into a deep wound in the body of the American democratic structure. Discrimination in clubs, hotels, summer resorts and residential districts is much more than just annoying; it can in time be responsible for serious consequences such as persecution, strife and discord between religious and racial groups constituting our American population, and ultimately the abrogation of our basic civil rights."

He recommended that the American Jewish Committee engage in a program for civic action, not alone for Jews but for all citizens "since the invasion of civil rights of one group threatens the security of all."

Jacob R. Marcus, Adolph S. Ochs Professor of Jewish History at the Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, Ohio, reviewed the role played by Jews in the development of American civilization. Raymond Massey, actor, received a citation for his "distinguished contribution to the furtherance of good-will among men of all religious faiths, races and national origins."

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religionists to the end that all of you will be conscious of, and inspired by, your religion; and that in your national loyalty and interests you think and act exclusively as Americans, should prove an inspiration for all Americans, whatever their faith may be.

"I wish the American Council for Judaism every success in its chosen field of endeavour."

Mr. Rosenwald also released messages from Charles P. Taft, president of the National Council of Churches; Basil L. G. Henriques of London, England, chairman of the Jewish Fellowship; and Dr. Israel Mattuck, rabbi of the Liberal Jewish Synagogue (L J and S), of London.

Dr. Mattuck, leader of progressive Judaism in England, said that the U. N. decision had not settled the issue raised by Jewish nationalism.

"On the contrary, it has sharpened it to a critical point," he said. "If a state calling itself Jewish is established, it will be a tiny state in itself, but a great danger to Jews in the rest of the world.

"It will impose a dangerous ambiguity on their national allegiance. But an even greater danger lies in the fact that it will be used by Jewish nationalists to intensify their propaganda for Jewish segregation everywhere; partly because their philosophy calls for Jewish separatism and largely because to meet the needs of their state they will try to rouse attachment to it among Jews in all lands.

"The success of Jewish nationalism in obtaining a state raises to its full dimensions the danger to the essential character, greatness and destiny of the Jews.

"We must fight against the twofold danger, insisting constantly and showing clearly that the Jew combines religious loyalty to Judaism with national integration, without any hyphen, in America, England, France or any other country of which he is a citizen, sharing fully in its life and spirit."

Mr. Henriques told the delegates that since partition there is a greater need than ever before for an organization on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean "to uphold the principle that the Jews are a religious people, to protect the religious integrity of Israel, and to educate our fellow-Jews throughout the world that their political allegiance is only to their native lands or to the country of their adoption.

"Jews must feel that their relationship to a Jewish state in Palestine is a religious and a charitable one and not more than that," he added. "Jews everywhere must realize that they have a solemn and sacred contribution to make to the welfare of mankind."

Greater unity in the American Jewish community was urged in a resolution adopted at the meeting of the Association of English-Jewish newspapers, which has also deplored the "waste of large sums of money" through "needlessly excessive publicity releases by national Jewish organizations and institutions" and called for a revision of publicity policies.